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SUBMARINE SINKS U. S. SHIP

ANOTHER BABY DIES AS DID BOLLINGER BOY

Grace Werder Called Hopelessly Defective at German-American Hospital

TRIAL FOR HAISELDEN.

Science again has folded its arms and again a weakling Chicago baby has paid its debt to the law of eugenics. The child was Grace Werder, whose life, it is admitted, could have been saved by the surgeon's knife, but who nevertheless was a hopeless defective, physically.

Dr. Harry Haiselden, who was yesterday cited for trial at the hands of the Chicago Medical society for permitting the Bollinger baby to die, placed his stamp of approval on the death of Baby Werder, who lived from Nov. 30 to Dec. 2.

The news of the second "passive killing" came to light during the day at the German-American hospital.

The attending physician in the Werder case was Dr. Jacob Faltermayer. In agreement with him as to the medical problem were Dr. Clarence Rutherford and Dr. Haiselden. They were agreed the baby could have been saved to a defective life.

Father Agrees to Baby's Death.

The father, Julius Werder of 4646 North Hermitage avenue, refused to accede to the operation that, it is supposed, would have saved his life. Even when Dr. Faltermayer telegraphed to New York asking Dr. Haiselden's advice, the father mustered his stern objections.

Mr. Werder, who formerly was an instructor in the State Industrial school at Rochester, N. Y., called the death of the baby a godsend.

According to the official hospital report the baby was discovered to have a hydrocephalic head, with water tumors, and a paralysis of the lower extremities.

Mother Did Not See Baby.

From the time of its birth at 9:30 p. m. on Nov. 30 Mrs. Werder was not permitted to see her child. There is a similarity between the cases of the Werder baby and that of the Bollingers. The Bollinger baby was the fourth child of Mrs. Bollinger. Grace Werder was the fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Werder. The Werders' three living daughters are healthy and strong.

Dr. Faltermayer decided as soon as he saw the Werder infant that it should not live. He made a careful examination and explained to the father its defects. Mr. Werder joined the physician in the opinion that the baby should not live. After its death the circumstances were explained to Mrs. Werder and she, too, agreed with her physician that the child was better off dead.

"Would Have Been Imbecile."

"This baby would have been an imbecile," said Dr. Faltermayer. "It would have hated its parents and have been a reproach to the humanity that brought it to life. We are spending our scientific energies in improving animals. I believe we should pay some attention to improving human beings.

"The Werder baby's head was what is known as hydrocephalic; 16 inches in diameter. One ear was grown flat against the head and there was a tumor above it. Lobeless ears or the absence of any organ of sense are certain signs of imbecility."

The father was grimly satisfied that the

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Democrats Vote to Give St. Louis 1916 Convention

Chicago Second in Balloting; Session to Meet June 14.

ROGER LOSES FIGHT

(By a Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—The Democratic national convention will be held in St. Louis. It will convene June 14, 1916. This was the decision of the Democratic national committee today, which adopted resolutions calling for the renomination and reëlection of Woodrow Wilson as "the trusted leader of national Democracy."

With the national Democratic convention going to St. Louis, it is now generally conceded that Chicago will get the Republican convention when the Republican national committee meets here next week.

St. Louis, which has been a bidder for both conventions, is expected to stand aside and throw its influence to the support of Chicago.

Republican leaders were making reservations tonight with the Chicago hotel representatives who are here.

St. Louis Wins on Second Ballot.

Two ballots by the Democrats today were necessary to effect a choice of the convention city. On both ballots St. Louis led Chicago and Dallas, the two opposing cities. The selection was made unanimous on motion of Committeeman Cato Sells of Texas when it was apparent St. Louis had won.

The deciding ballot was: St. Louis, 28; Chicago, 15; Dallas, 9. On the first ballot St. Louis mustered 25 votes, Dallas 4, and Chicago 13.

Each city bid $100,000 for the big event. St. Louis and Dallas put up negotiable checks for this amount, while Chicago submitted a pledge by the Association of Commerce of that city to pay the sum to the committee on demand. Roger C. Sullivan of Chicago personally guaranteed the Illinois city's offer.

Roger Fights Losing Battle.

Speaker Champ Clark, Senator W. J. Stone, and James E. Smith, chairman of the St. Louis convention committee, represented St. Louis' claims. Gov. Dunne and Senator Lewis of Illinois and National Committeeman Boeschenstein put forth their best efforts in behalf of Chicago.

Roger Sullivan fought hard when he found the odds were against him, carrying the battle into the executive session, where he made an appeal to his former colleagues for support. He carried the proxy of the Hawaii member, but his plea apparently fell upon deaf ears.

Senator Lewis called attention to the president's observations on hyphenated Americans in his message to congress and referring to the hostility that has been aroused against the administration as "the unfortunate discordance which has been created among certain nationalities."

Party Faces a Struggle.

A warning that the Democratic party faces a struggle was also uttered by Speaker Clark who asserted vehemently that the convention be held in St. Louis.

"If you want the eighteen electoral votes of Missouri," he said, "you'd better send the convention to St. Louis."

The speaker said that the dwindling of the Democratic majority in the house of representatives foreshadowed the bitterness of the coming conflict.

The committee was confronted with two contests which threatened for a time to cause some feeling, but they were settled in a short time and the atmosphere seemingly was cleared.

Urey Woodson of Kentucky was seated in his contest with Gen. W. B. Haldeman

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TEUTONS HIT SECOND SHIP NEAR TRIPOLI

Communipaw Is Lost in Mediterranean; Petrolite Saturday's Victim.

BRITISH SEIZE VESSEL.

BULLETIN.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 7.—Word has been received here that a British cruiser has captured the steamer Winnebago. It is also reported that a British cruiser has captured on board the steamer Vauban a German officer who, it is alleged, was involved in certain affairs in the United States, from which country he made his escape.

ROME, Dec. 7.—The American oil steamer Communipaw has been sunk by a submarine in the Mediterranean, near Tobruk, Tripoli.

No information has been received concerning the crew or the nationality of the submarine.

[The steamer Communipaw recently was held by the Italian government at Genoa, but was allowed to sail for its destination on Dec. 2, owing to representations made to the government by the American embassy at Rome. The Communipaw was owned by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and sailed from New York on Oct. 27 for Egypt.]

NEW CRISIS MAY DEVELOP.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—Unofficial information reaching Washington tonight of the sinking of the American oil tanker Communipaw off the coast of Tripoli has created grave apprehension in official circles, where the fear is expressed that Austrians may have begun a systematic campaign of destruction against the American oil ships engaged in carrying fuel oil to warships of the allies operating in the Dardanelles.

It is regarded as gravely significant that this report should come on the heels of an official dispatch today from the commander of the United States cruiser Des Moines, now at Canea, Crete, telling of the attack by an Austrian submarine on the Standard Oil tanker Petrolite, which was fired on, but appears to have escaped. One member of the crew of the Petrolite is reported to have been wounded by the shell fire.

Sailed from New York Nov. 7.

The Petrolite sailed from New York Nov. 7 for Alexandria, Egypt. It passed Gibraltar Nov. 21.

[The attack on the Petrolite and the sinking of the Communipaw took place in the lane of travel between the Island of Crete and the north coast of Tripoli. Tobruk, Tripoli, off which the Communipaw was sunk, is directly south of Crete.]

Reports Picking Up Message.

The dispatch from the Des Moines came from Canea, Island of Crete, and reported that the following message had been picked up Sunday:

"American steamship Petrolite, Alexandria to New York, attacked by a submarine this (Sunday) morning at 6:20, longitude 32.25 north, latitude 26.8 west. One man not seriously injured."

The commander of the cruiser said he had obtained from the commander of the Petrolite the additional information that the submarine which attacked the American steamer flew the Austrian flag and "looked like a big cruiser."

Report Given to Lansing.

The report from the Des Moines was received by the navy department and immediately turned over to Secretary Lansing. At the state department it was said no action would be taken pending the receipt of further details.

No report had been received by the government tonight of the sinking of the Communipaw by a submarine off the coast of Tripoli and officials did not comment on the case in the absence of information concerning the circumstances.

It was pointed out that the attitude of the United States would depend entirely upon whether the tankers were attacked without warning or attempted to escape after being called upon to submit to visit and search. In the case of the Petrolite it appeared that it not only tried to escape but actually did so.

They Oil the 'Bos' at City's Lodging House Nowadays

Anointing Takes Place of Water Baths for Those Who Want It.

DR. ROBERTSON'S IDEA

Anointment with oil—the culminating rite of the Roman baths in the luxurious days of the empire—last night became a regular feature of hobo life at the Chicago municipal lodging house. But there was a difference. The oil, plain cottonseed oil, too, was employed as a substitute for the bath—not the culmination.

The oil propaganda has not been given much of a boost among the tramps who apply for lodging as yet, but those who tried it indorsed this substitute for soap and water.

"Bos" Seem to Like It.

"Say, it wouldn't be much trouble to get 'em all to take the oil instead of the water as soon as the word gets 'round," said William Anderson, assistant superintendent, as he supervised the anointment of one of his "guests."

The out of works, he explained, are now given their choice—oil or water. Under previous régimes all applicants for lodging were required to take a shower bath. For years health commissioners, unacquainted with or disdainful of the virtues of oil, have felt that water was the primary treatment to be given.

That Famous Oil Talk.

But Health Commissioner John Dill Robertson now has jurisdiction over the lodging house. It may be recalled that several years ago there was a report that Dr. Robertson had intimated that if people would leave off bathing there would be nothing left for the doctors to do. To bathe, he is alleged to have said, is to be dirty, an occasional anointing with oil being all that is necessary.

The Thompson administration is reported to have told Dr. Robertson "to lay off the oil stuff" when he was appointed, and he gave out an interview branding it as an "infernal story."

"I stand for baths, plain soap and water," he averred. "What I said thirteen years ago was that indiscriminate bathing might be harmful. I recommended oil as a substitute in certain cases."

They Are Give Choice.

The cottonseed oil was ordered a few days ago and instructions were issued to Supt. Neil and Assistant Supt. Anderson to give every man his option.

The theory, as conveyed from headquarters, is that water may be too severe a shock to the 'bos," fresh from the wood pile, where they have received an admittance card in return for their work.

John W. Brown, about 55 years old, has the honor of being the first to be anointed. He took a treatment Monday night, experimentally, so to speak, and repeated it last night.

Two by Twos Soon.

"When we get this going," said Mr. Anderson, "we are going to put the men through by twos so they can rub each other's backs."

It is possible that you might have felt inclined to edge away from Brown after he finished the operation. It is even possible you would have said he needed a bath more than an anointment, but Brown was satisfied, anyway.

"Mebbe it ain't a cure-all like they say about a lot o' things," Brown observed, "but it sure is helping me. Helps my rheumatism."

GERMANS TAKE 2 BRITONS OFF GREEK STEAMSHIPS.

Col. H. D. Napier, Late Military Attache at Sofia, and Capt. A. S. Wilson Made Prisoners.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that, according to the Greek papers, Col. H. D. Napier, the late British military attaché at Sofia, has been taken off a Greek steamer by a German submarine near Messina.

A British official report received tonight says that Capt. Arthur Stanley Wilson, member of parliament for Yorkshire, has been made a prisoner of war.

A LETTER TO SANTA CLAUS.

THE WEATHER.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1915.

Chicago and vicinity—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday without decided change in temperature; moderate to fresh west to northwest winds diminishing by Thursday.

Illinois—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday; not much change in temperature.

TRIBUNE BAROMETER. (RAIN — CLOUDY — FAIR — VERY DRY — STORMY)

Sunrise, 7:06; sunset, 4:19. Moon sets 6:27 p. m.

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO. [Last 24 hours.]

Maximum, 10 p. m....39
Minimum, 2 a. m.....31

3 a. m.	31	11 a. m.	35	7 p. m.	37
4 a. m.	31	Noon	36	8 p. m.	38
5 a. m.	31	1 p. m.	37	9 p. m.	38
6 a. m.	32	2 p. m.	37	10 p. m.	39
7 a. m.	32	3 p. m.	38	11 p. m.	39
8 a. m.	33	4 p. m.	38	Midnight	39
9 a. m.	34	5 p. m.	38	1 a. m.	38
10 a. m.	35	6 p. m.	37	2 a. m.	37

Mean temperature, 34; normal for the day, 32. Excess since Jan. 1, 576.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Excess since Jan. 1, 0.40.
Wind, S.; maximum velocity, 28 miles an hour at 8 a. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m., 70 per cent; 2 p. m., 70 per cent; 7 p. m., 76 per cent.
Barometric pressure, 7 a. m., 30.28; 7 p. m., 30.01.
For official government report see page 20.

SHIPPERS ADVICES.
Special Forecast for Shipments Within Radius of 500 Miles.

Protect shipments to reach destinations by Thursday night from temperatures as follows: North and northwest, 20 to 25 degrees; south, about 32 degrees; east and west, 28 to 32 degrees.

PARDRIDGE CLEANS UP $2,000,000 ON 'WAR BRIDES.'

Old Time Trader Returns to La Salle Street and Makes "Killing" on Both Grain and Stocks.

Rumors on La Salle street credit C. W. Pardridge with having cleaned up about $2,000,000 in grain and stock sales.

That Mr. Pardridge had returned to the market was not generally known until a few days ago. Then it developed that the old trader had quietly "come back" and bought heavily of both stocks and grains affected by the war.

A few days ago he began to unload, according to the reports, and his profits have mounted high. He is said to have cleared 20 cents a bushel on 4,000,000 bushels of wheat, 15 cents a bushel on 3,000,000 bushels of corn, and 5 cents on 1,000,000 bushels of oats.

His stock investmets also have been highly profitable.

FIREOUSTS LODGE MEMBERS

National American Unionists Are Driven into Street by Blaze at 1300 Karlov Avenue.

One hundred members of a lodge of the National American union, customers of a saloon, and members of a family were driven to the street late last night when fire attacked a building at 1300 South Karlov avenue.

ROOSEVELT JABS WILSON MESSAGE

Words to Hide Dishonorable Inaction; Jealous of Nation's Rights? Pshaw!

Oyster Bay, L. I., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Col. Roosevelt issued a bitter attack this evening against President Wilson's message. He finds the message filled with illogical as well as meaningless sentences which he challenges any man, not excepting the president, to explain. He asserts that the document reveals Mr. Wilson a man without convictions, who in the present instance is using words to "cover a policy of dishonorable inaction." The statement says:

"What does Mr. Wilson mean when in one line he says that we have 'stood apart, studiously neutral' because 'it was our manifest duty to do so,' and a couple of paragraphs later that 'we demand security in prosecuting their self-chosen lines of national development for others.' He can take either of the two positions; but he cannot take both. Did or did not Mr. Wilson 'demand security' for Belgium to 'prosecute its self-chosen lines of national development'?

Cites Belgium and Mexico.

"Again he says he regards war as a 'means of asserting the rights of a people against aggression,' and yet he says that it was our duty to remain studiously neutral when Belgium asserted the rights of her people by war against the aggression of Germany. How does he reconcile these two statements? He cannot do so. He is using words to cover a policy of dishonorable inaction.

"Again, he says that we are 'fiercely jealous of aggression from without.' How did he show his 'fierce jealousy' as regards the aggressions on the Lusitania and Ancona, which resulted in the loss of several scores and the jeopardy of hundreds of American lives? How has he shown his 'fierce jealousy' as regards the sixty or seventy soldiers wearing the American uniform, not to speak of the women and children and civilians killed or wounded on American soil by Mexican bullets?

"One symptom of his 'fierce jealousy' to prevent 'aggression from without' was the issuing of an order that our men should not fire back when fired on.

Deals with Plots in America.

"The most noteworthy part of the president's message is that in which he says that the greatest threats against our national peace and national safety come from citizens of the United States born under other flags, who have been disloyal. In this he is entirely correct. But the remedy lies in action such as Andrew Jackson took about nullification, such as Grover Cleveland took about anarchy in Chicago.

"Mr. Wilson says we are without adequate federal law to deal with the situation. He has met a policy of blood and iron with a policy of milk and water."

In another place Col. Roosevelt says: "Mr. Wilson's elocution is that of Byzantine logothete and Byzantine logothetes were not men of action."

LATEST NEWS OF EUROPEAN WAR

ABOARD THE PEACE SHIP OSCAR II., by Wireless to New York, Dec. 7.—The reading of the president's message by S. S. McClure this evening was followed by a speech by Jenkin Lloyd Jones of Chicago, who bitterly attacked President Wilson. This precipitated the fear of a row, which was, however, blocked by Mr. Ford, who urged a three days' group discussion before replying to the president.

Indications are that this reply will be of a hostile character. The president has lost all popularity with the pacifists. Dr. Jones said in his speech, "The armament trust has forced Wilson's hand."

LONDON, Dec. 8, 4:33 a. m.—The admiralty announces that the British steamer Commodore has been sunk. All the members of the crew excepting the cook were saved.

Mexico City, Dec. 7.—Hugo Hahn, manager of the German-American bank in Mexico City, today made a statement relative to the money transactions of that institution with the former Mexican government. He denies the German institutions tried in any way to bring about difficulties between the United States and Mexico.

COACH AND GIRL DROWN.

Football Instructor Ball and Companion Perish While Skating in Iowa.

Storm Lake, Ia., Dec. 7.—Edmund Ball, football coach at Buena Vista college, and Miss Fern Benedict were drowned at Storm Lake this afternoon when ice gave way. Many persons helplessly watched the couple drown after fellow skaters failed in an effort to rescue them. Ball's home was at Valparaiso, Ind.

Was Star at Purdue.

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 7.—Edmund Ball was well known in western football circles as a player on the Purdue team in 1910, 1911, and 1912. He played end.

GUARD AMERICA FROM ALL FOES, WILSON'S PLEA

Crush Enemies at Home, Offer a Firm Defense, Urged in Message.

FLAILS "HYPHENISM."

The full text of President Wilson's message to congress is printed on page 6 of this issue of "The Tribune."

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—An appeal for the enactment of legislation for the defense of the nation from enemies at home as well as abroad was the burden of the message President Wilson delivered today in the joint assembly of the two houses of congress.

Denouncing in scathing terms the war plotting propaganda of hyphenated Americans and the unneutral activities of many native Americans, the president elicited applause from the Republican as well as the Democratic side of the chamber of the house, in which the joint assembly was held.

The address was in reality a "war" message, for it related almost entirely to the measures the president deems should be taken to protect the country from the dangers and economic disturbances emanating from the European war.

Summary of Wilson's Views.

In brief the proposals and views of the president are:

Neutrality—Laws should be enacted to enable the suppression of the activities of agents and sympathizers with the belligerents to promote their cause on American soil in the manner that has "brought deep disgrace upon us."

Defense—With the great war spreading the time has come to adopt measures that will guard against the United States becoming embroiled and thus losing its opportunity to serve the belligerents and mankind generally.

Army—The nation should have a standing army no larger than is required by peace conditions, but should organize a force of 400,000 citizens, who volunteer for training in the handling of arms.

Presents Program for Navy.

Navy—The administration five year building program will provide "a navy fitted to our needs and worthy of our traditions."

Merchant Marine—To protect American commerce in time of war and promote foreign trade in peace the nation must have American ships, which can be provided by the administration ship purchase and building plan, and "every legal obstacle" to the revival of the American merchant marine should be removed.

Revenue—To meet the increased expenditures, estimated at $112,000,000 for 1917, congress should retain the tariff on sugar, extend the income tax to incomes over $2,000 for unmarried, and $3,000 for married persons, and increase the surtax, retain the war excise tax, and add taxes on gasoline, automobiles, bank checks, pigiron, and fabricated iron and steel.

Purpose of Monroe Doctrine.

Monroe Doctrine—As a result of the new community of interests among the republics of the western hemisphere since the outbreak of the war, the Monroe Doctrine no longer embodies the idea of the United States' guardianship of its neighbors, but an equal partnership of American nations to resist European encroachment.

Pan-Americanism—The existence of strife in the old world has thrown the nations of the new on their own resources and bred a new spirit of coöperation which is improving commercial relations between the nations of the two Americas.

Mexico—In accordance with the principle of liberty on which the American republic is founded, the United States has befriended but not coerced Mexico, and "whether we have benefited Mexico by the course we have pursued remains to be seen."

More Freedom for Filipinos.

Philippines—Intimately associated with the question of defense is the necessity of relieving the nation of embarrassment by fulfilling the promise to grant a

greater degree of freedom to the Filipinos and Porto Ricans.

Economic Mobilization—Federal aid should be extended to industrial and vocational education, the natural resources of the nation should be conserved and developed as proposed by the water power and leasing bills, and a system of rural credits should be established.

Railroads—In accordance with the idea of promoting national efficiency and security a commission of inquiry should determine whether the usefulness of the railroads would be increased by an overhauling of the laws of regulation before further restrictive measures are adopted.

Strikes Blow at "Hyphenism."

Coming hard on his demand for the recall of the German attachés and the institution of prosecutions of numerous aggregations of war plotters the president's remarks on the evils of "hyphenism" easily constitute the outstanding feature of his address.

"I am sorry to say that the gravest threats against our national peace and safety have been uttered within our own borders," the president said. "There are citizens of the United States, I blush to admit, born under other flags but welcomed under our generous naturalization laws to the full freedom and opportunity of America, who have poured the poison of disloyalty into the very arteries of our national life; who have sought to bring the authority and good name of our government into contempt, to destroy our industries wherever they thought it effective for their vindictive purposes to strike at them, and to debase our politics to the uses of foreign intrigue."

Says Plots Disgrace America.

The president admitted that these disloyal Americans are not numerous, but he said they had managed to bring "deep disgrace upon us." He added that "America never witnessed anything like this before," had never dreamed of such conspiracies, and therefore never had made adequate provision to deal with them. He urged congress speedily to perfect the neutrality laws so as to make possible the suppression of anti-American plots.

"Such creatures of passion, disloyalty, and anarchy must be crushed out," the president exclaimed amid a general outburst of applause and cheering.

Then the president pitched into those persons born in the United States who, "calling themselves Americans, have so forgotten themselves and their honor as citizens as to put their passionate sympathy with one or the other side in the great European conflict above their regard for the peace and dignity of the United States. They also preach and practice disloyalty.

Barb Aimed at Bryan?

"No laws, I suppose, can reach corruptions of the mind and heart," the president continued, "but I should not speak of others without also speaking of these and expressing the even deeper humiliation and scorn which every self-possessed and thoughtfully patriotic American must feel when he thinks of them and of the discredit they are daily bringing upon us."

Extraordinary interest was manifested by the president's auditors in this last utterance. That Mr. Wilson was referring pointedly to some prominent American appeared to be the general belief as manifested in cloakroom discussion after the delivery of the address. Some thought the president had Theodore Roosevelt in mind; others were convinced that Mr. Wilson was hitting at former Secretary of State Bryan.

Defense Is Chief Topic.

The greater part of the message the president devoted to outlining his program of increased national defense. He gave the army and navy plans in greater detail than any proposition he has ever submitted to congress. The utterances of the president made it clear that he is as strongly in favor of strengthening the national defenses now as he was opposed to such a move when he appeared before congress exactly a year ago.

Mr. Wilson offered no explanation of this change of attitude, unless it was in the opening paragraph of the message, in which he said that a year ago the great war had "only begun to disclose its portentous proportions" and that since then it has "swept within its flame some portion of every quarter of the globe."

Urges Training to Arms.

The president gave in considerable detail the proposed increase in the standing army, but treated only in general terms the plans for raising the volunteer citizen army of 133,000 men each year. Mr. Wilson disclosed the realization that the success of this scheme depends almost wholly on the response of the young men of the nation to the call for volunteers to fill up this force, which will be subject to call to the colors for six years. He, therefore, uttered an appeal to the "patriotic feeling" of young men to enlist for this training and of employers to allow their employés to offer themselves.

In marked contrast with his attitude a year ago, the president said, in concluding the presentation of the army plan:

"At least so much by way of preparation for defense seems to be absolutely imperative now. We cannot do less."

Mr. Wilson's statements on the Monroe doctrine, the Philippines, and Mexico are destined to stir a great deal of discussion in congress, for they were generally significant, if not explicit. The president's new definition of the Monroe doctrine as a partnership instead of a guardianship was hailed by his supporters as a profound clarification and strengthening of the principle enunciated by President Monroe.

Monroe Doctrine Stand Questioned.

These supporters gave the president credit for bringing the Latin American republics to the realization that the repulsion of European aggression is as much their business as that of the United States. Critics of the president were equally insistent that the president was trying to "get from under" the responsibility imposed upon the United States by the Monroe doctrine, trying to establish the contention that it would not be wholly the business of the United States to prevent a European encroachment on South America, for example.

Likewise the supporters of the president were satisfied with his explanation of the Mexican policy as a course of keeping hands off the revolution ridden republic and allowing it to work out its own destiny with assistance but not interference. The opposition already is asserting that the president's words are inconsistent with his acts, such as the American intervention at Vera Cruz and the efforts of the administration to dictate the election of a Mexican president.

Point to Silence on Haiti.

Critics of the administration also are calling attention to the silence of the president on affairs in Haiti, where the president did not abide by the rule of keeping hands off. American marines pacified the island republic recently and the administration now has established a financial protectorate of the government.

Few passages of the address created more discussion than the president's reference to the Philippines. He took up this matter as one "intimately associated with the question of national safety and preparation for defense," and then went on to say that "we must be free from every unnecessary burden or embarrassment, and there is no better way to be clear of embarrassment than to fulfill our promises and promote the interests of those dependent upon us to the utmost."

Some of his auditors interpreted this to mean that the president advocated setting the Filipinos free of American rule in order to diminish the complications of national defense involved in continued possession of the distant archipelago.

Republicans Heap Criticism on Message of the President

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Republican congressmen and senators heaped condemnation upon President Wilson's address to congress after they had heard it and Democratic congressmen and senators generally remained discreetly silent when asked to discuss it.

Two of the most vigorous attacks came from Senator Sherman of Illinois and Minority Leader Mann of Chicago.

Senator Sherman condemned both the defense plan advanced by the president and his suggestions for raising revenue.

Mr. Mann not only condemned the militancy program but asserted that it indicated to him that the president favors war and fears at the same time to adopt the necessary measures to prevent war or carry it on successfully.

Cites Democratic Weakness.

"The most striking thing to a practical legislator," said Mr. Mann in discussing the address, "is the fact that the president admits that under normal Democratic administration there would be a deficit at the end of next year of $297,000,000. And as has always happened before it happens again that a Democratic president is urging congress to increase taxation on the people.

"The message sounds to me as if the president were getting ready for war. And while he does not admit that war is imminent—he denies it in fact—his message indicates to me that he fears war. If he does fear war, then he has not gone far enough in his recommendations for an army or a force of trained disciplined men in the United States."

Criticizes Defense Plans.

Senator Sherman did not attend the joint session of the house and the senate when the president spoke. He passed the time reading the address of Mr. Wilson. In commenting upon it, he said:

"President Wilson's defense program is not based upon practicable working conditions. I doubt that he will be able to raise his continental army by voluntary enlistment. Even if he does raise it, it is most undemocratic, most un-American to insist that 133,000 men each year shall give two months of their time to the nation free of all compensation, while the remaineder of the ninety or more millions give no time.

"A much fairer system, a much more democratic one, would be to raise taxes sufficient to compensate an army of such size as is needed and then organize and pay the army. For my part, I'd rather have my taxes increased so that the men who do serve will not have to serve at a sacrifice. The cost should not be concentrated on a few, but should be spread out."

Financial Data Wrong.

Senator Sherman asserted that the president's financial statement in his message was full of errors. He also insisted that Mr. Wilson had not made the proper recommendations for increasing revenues.

"Instead of taxing gasoline, bank checks, and pig iron," said the senator, "it would be better to enact a graduated inheritance tax, the estates to be so graded that the larger ones would bear the greater burden of taxation and the smaller ones pay a nominal sum. The present emergency revenue law is unjust to certain occupations and should not be continued in force.

"I am certainly opposed to lowering the income tax exemptions. It would be far more advisable to increase the taxes on the present grades. If the exemptions are lowered the administration will begin to hit the bread line, to increase the tax burden of the men who have large families.

"As a Republican, I believe the proper method to pursue with respect to obtaining revenue would be to revise the tariff upward."

Senator Sherman concluded his criticism by asserting that the president forgot entirely to recommend economy. He said that the Democratic extravagance of the last congress has never been paralleled before.

Cannon Compares Speeches.

Other Illinoisans who criticised the president's message are former Speaker Cannon and Representative Chiperfield.

Representative Cannon said: "My only suggestion is that the newspapers print the message in one column, the president's address last year in the column next to it, and his Indianapolis speech in a third column, and then send them to the country all at once."

Representative Chiperfield of Illinois said: "The basis of the president's address was national efficiency. To bring that about it is necessary to return the Republican party, which stands for national efficiency, to power."

Senator Wadsworth of New York criticized the president for distinguishing between the citizen soldiery he proposed and the regular standing army, as if the members of the latter were not to be regarded as citizens.

Representative Hamilton of Michigan and Representative Britten of Chicago said that the president's speech did not meet the response which they apparently expected it would.

Democrats Are Guarded.

Democratic leaders made guarded comment on the address. Speaker Clark said: "I want to read it and digest it before commenting."

Majority Leader Kitchin—It was an exceptionally strong message.

Chairman Hay of the house military committee—It was a beautifully worded message.

Chairman Alexander of the house merchant marine committee—It was an admirably worded message.

REPUBLICANS VICTORIOUS IN BAY STATE ELECTIONS.

G. O. P. Candidates Win Out in Fourteen Cities Where National Party Lines Are Drawn.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 7.—Republicans were successful where national party lines were drawn in the elections in fourteen Massachusetts cities today. In Marlboro and Waltham Democratic mayors were defeated for reëlection by Republican opponents. Republicans won in Brockton, Northampton, Pittsfield, and Quincy.

In Fall River, Springfield, and Haverhill no mayors were elected, but the Republicans secured a majority in the city government in the two former cities. Haverhill has a nonpartisan government.

There was one overturn on the license question, Northampton shifting from no license to license, making eleven cities in the "wet" column.

NEWPORT, R. I.—Former Mayor Patrick J. Boyle was returned to office in the city election today for his sixteenth term. He defeated Mayor Robert S. Burlingame by 2,202 votes to 1,975. There were no party designations on the ticket.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

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POLYPHEMUS	Coronel
MINNESOTA	Seattle
WILHELMINA	S. Francisco
SONOMA	Sydney
Sailed.	**Port.**
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SIERRA	Sydney
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BRITISH PAPERS SEE FAILURE OF MONROE THEORY

Applaud Tone of Wilson Message in Condemning German Plots.

LONDON, Dec. 8, 3 a. m.—President Wilson's message proves of unusual interest to the British press, as shown by the editorials in the morning papers.

In the view of the Daily News "it is doubtful whether the Monroe Doctrine will ever be tenable again, experience having shown that the United States can no longer rely on political isolation founded on geographical detachment, which has largely lost its meaning."

The Daily News argues that it is only the British navy which today stands in effective defense of the Monroe Doctrine and that "if Germany were victorious in this war the United States guarantees of the independence of the states of South America would not be worth the paper on which that doctrine is written."

U. S. to Tire of German Plots.

The Daily Chronicle says:

"After the amazing revelations of German machinations which appear still far from complete, one would be surprised if the United States tolerated the present condition of things much longer."

The Times regards the message as "by force of events a war message from beginning to end," and says:

"The president has striven and is still striving hard with the full approbation of the masses of the people to cling fast to the notion that the United States can continue to live its own life, uphold exalted ideals throughout the new world, and promote their realization in the old world, without abandoning the splendid isolation she has so long enjoyed. The hard realities of the situation created by the war are beginning to show that the notion is no longer tenable with the firm assurance of even last year.

Sees Warning to Germany.

"The sudden development of the Boy-Ed-Von Papen controversy gives the message a dramatic fitness it would not have possessed without this serious complication and affords a striking instance of the growing complexity and interdependence of the relations between the old world and the new.

"The Times believes that although the Germans have so often and so grossly misunderstood the American attitude, they will appreciate the significance of the president's message and with however bad grace draw back while there is still time."

International Law Dodged?

Under the caption "America's Lost Opportunity," the Daily Graphic in an editorial says:

"If President Wilson had assumed the responsibility of safeguarding international law his services would have added a glorious page to American history. It is grievously disappointing that in addressing congress he utters no word in condemnation of Germany's infamous breaches of international law in her brutal invasion of Belgium and the venal manner of her fighting.

"References to the revival of the ship purchase bill is ominous. If President Wilson has in mind some scheme for the acquirement of the German ships now interned in American harbors our government should not lose a moment in intimating in the friendliest spirit that the allies cannot consent to any transaction which would enrich the German coffers and undo the work of our navy."

The Daily Telegraph says:

"Every one will be glad that President Wilson should speak out with such admirable frankness of German intrigues. Nothing less was expected from the head of a republic which prides itself on its independence and its neutrality."

Staats-Zeitung Condemns Message.

New York, Dec. 8, 3 a. m.—[Special.]—The Staats Zeitung, commenting on President Wilson's message says:

"The president commands congress. Those mystic criminals, who are charged with nebulous things hitherto not recognized by our laws as punishable, must be 'crushed.' And that is a presidential message to congress. A document more shameless than this is not recorded in the annals of American history."

Chicagoans Divided in Views on President Wilson's Message

President Wilson's message was received with varying degrees of praise and condemnation yesterday. "Nice language," was the view of several Republicans. Progressives openly criticized it. Railroad men commended the proposal for a commission of inquiry to study regulation. Some of the views follow:

Former Gov. Charles S. Deneen—I have not read the message in detail and prefer to pass judgment later. The president's sentiment on Americanism, of course, is in line with the agreement of all of us.

Edward J. Brundage — Beautiful English. When the president reaches the Mexican question, however, he discusses conditions and policies which beautiful English cannot gloss over or satisfy.

Prof. John A. Scott of Northwestern university—It is a very wise message and all that could be expected from the president.

Prof. J. Laurence Laughlin, head of the department of political economy, University of Chicago—I think the idea of the government going into the ownership of vessels of a mercantile fleet is unfortunate. The present high rates for sea borne freight are due to exceptional conditions which will disappear at the end of the war. A government ought not to take such a radical step on grounds based on temporary conditions. One is inclined to agree with the president's recommendations about national defense, but it still remains true that the exhaustion of the European countries leaves the United States safer than it has been in forty years. It would be wiser to wait until we know more about the naval and military lessons of the war before we spend enormous sums of money for objects which may soon be obsolete.

Prof. James Parker Hall, dean of the University of Chicago law school—The ship purchase plans are the weakest part of the message. I don't see how the government can buy or build ships that private individuals couldn't. I think there is just as much fault with the president's ship purchase talk as there was last year. On the whole, his revenue and defense plans are good.

Medill McCormick, vice chairman Progressive national committee—I had heard that this was to be a great presidential message. It is not. But it is a magnificent example of the difference between rhetoric and reality. The eloquent expression of noble aspirations cannot commend the president's program. The "continental" army which he urges upon congress is the most undemocratic form of military service ever devised and is patterned after the British territorial army, which is now a known failure.

A. M. Schoyer, resident vice president Pennsylvania—It puts the railroad situation before the country in a fair way. Such an inquiry with a view to bettering the situation would have many benefits.

H. R. Kurrie, president of the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville (Monon) railroad—It is an encouraging attitude for the leader of one of the leading parties to take and insures the railroads the sort of treatment they deserve. It is the attitude that will help the entire situation, including buying, employing, and development work. The railroads will welcome any investigation doing away with the inconsistencies of the present system. What the railroads are opposing is not government regulation, but the inconsistencies.

W. J. Jackson, receiver of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois—It is a recommendation that might prove very helpful and get the consideration that the railroads need at this time.

H. E. Byram, vice president Burlington—It is a good suggestion for the railroad men; quite different from the attitude that has been taken by political leaders at other times. It means more than an investigation. It expresses a favorable attitude of mind.

Miss Margaret Dobyne, corresponding secretary of the Illinois Equal Suffrage league—"I like the message, and I like the president's program. I especially favor a government owned merchant marine. I approve the plans for national defense, which, as the president says, are not for conquest, but for protection against our enemies both without and within our boundaries. The newspapers of the last few days show us that we have internal enemies."

Charles L. Dering, president of Chicago Association of Commerce—"With some of the president's recommendations I am thoroughly in sympathy. I soundly indorse his views on preparedness and the railroad question, and I believe he is entirely right in his views on hyphenated citizenship. I am not prepared to say whether his recommendations as to preparedness go far enough. But I cannot become too enthusiastic over a promise of government owned ships when a law passed by the same administration is driving the privately owned American ships off the sea."

WALL STREET GROUP GOT ADVANCE TIP ON MESSAGE.

Speculators with Accurate Forecast Made One of the Biggest Coups in Years.

New York, Dec. 7.—[Special.]—When the full text of the president's message became public at noon today Wall street realized that one of the most successful stock jobbing coups that has been pulled off on the stock exchange in recent years had been successfully carried out last week by a group of big bear speculators who had become possessed of an accurate forecast of the president's recommendations to congress nearly nine days in advance of delivery to the senate and house and official release to the press associations and newspapers of the country.

SENATE OFFERED A HOST OF BILLS ON MANY TOPICS

More than 1,000 Drafts and Joint Resolutions Presented for Action.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—More than 1,000 bills and joint resolutions were introduced into the senate today covering every subject of legislation which will come before congress during the present session and many subjects which probably never will be considered.

Included in the list were bills and resolutions to increase the national defenses, to restrict immigration, to put an embargo on the exportation of munitions of war, to regulate elections, to prevent the employment of children under 14 years of age, to foster a merchant marine, to give the Philippines a more independent form of government, to submit a constitutional amendment on prohibition to the people, and to do any number of things.

Plan for Merchant Marine.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, Republican leader, submitted a bill to encourage American shipbuilding and provide an American merchant marine, to establish ocean mail lines, and to increase the naval reserve of the country. These ends he would bring about through the establishment of ship subsidies and by having the ships so subsidized carry at least one American, who shall be instructed in navigation.

Bills to prevent the employment of children under 14 years of age and to provide an eight hour day for women employed in mills, factories and manufacturing were introduced by Senator Kenyon of Iowa. He also introduced a joint resolution creating a commission to prepare a budget system for the government of the United States. The commission is to consist of the secretary of the treasury, three senators, three representatives, and two economists to be appointed by the president.

Sherman Offers Two Measures.

Senator Sherman of Illinois introduced a bill providing for supervision of registrations and elections where senators and representatives and delegates in congress are chosen by the people, and the other providing fines and imprisonment as punishment for frauds committed in such elections. He also introduced a large number of private pension bills.

The so-called Philippines bill, giving the islands a more autonomous form of government, was introduced by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, chairman of the Philippines committee in the last congress and the probable chairman of the committee in the present congress. The bill was in the same shape as when reported to the senate from the Philippines committee last session. Senator Hitchcock also reintroduced his bill placing an embargo on the exporting of arms and munitions.

Senator Dillingham of Vermont reintroduced the immigration measure which proposes a literary test for all immigrants over 16 years of age and which was vetoed by President Wilson in the last congress.

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Daghistan	4.8x3.8	50.00	38.00
Kazack	8.0x5.8	77.50	60.00
Ant. Daghistan	5.1x3.9	42.00	33.00
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HOUSE CHAMBER PACKED TO HEAR WILSON MESSAGE

Denunciation of Hyphenated Citizens Draws Applause; Ceremony Impressive.

BY FLOYD P. GIBBONS.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—A sense of expectancy, a feeling of tenseness, a touch of the dramatic, expressed the international significance of today's events under the dome of the national capitol when President Wilson read his annual message before the joint session of the senate and house of representatives.

The national and worldwide interest in the session reflected itself in the silence that hung over the packed galleries, the shuffling of disappointed thousands through the crowded corridors, the click of telegraph and typewriter from the press galleries, and the bulging eyes of large cameras imposed on the balcony rails.

A nation's policy on matters of more than domestic consideration was being declared. The stand of the United States in the family of nations was being defined and plans for the nation's protection from possible enemies without and designated enemies within were being outlined.

Mrs. Galt Watches Proceedings.

During the recess which preceded the arrival of the senators, a party of women appeared in the doorway of the executive gallery. There was a hurried craning of necks, and around the galleries flew the words: "There she is." "She is the one with the orchids." "That's Mrs. Galt."

The woman who is to be the next mistress of the White House wore a suit of dark blue broadcloth, with slashes of red at the cuffs. On her left shoulder was fastened the bunch of orchids.

Mrs. Galt gave her attention to the scene below her on the floor of the house and to all appearance was oblivious of the hundreds of eyes directed toward her. Miss Margaret Wilson, the president's daughter, sat at one side of Mrs. Galt, and Mrs. Galt's mother occupied a seat on the other side.

Senators File Into Chamber.

At 12:35 o'clock Speaker Clark's gavel sounded and the house came to order. Joseph J. Sinnott, doorkeeper, took a position half way down the center aisle of the chamber and announced:

"Mr. Speaker, the president pro tempore and the senate."

The doors at the rear of the aisle opened and Senators Kern of Indiana and Gallinger of New Hampshire, the Democratic and Republican leaders of the senate, entered together, followed by President Pro Tempore Clarke of Arkansas. The other senators followed in double file and took seats in the first three rows. The representatives stood as the senators entered. Mr. Clarke was escorted to the speaker's chair, where he stood beside Speaker Clark.

Senator Underwood of Alabama, former majority leader of the house, received the cheers of his former mates as he walked down the aisle and took a seat on the Democratic side of the chamber.

Wilson Escorted Into Chamber.

"The president of the United States," came the announcement from the doorkeeper. Senators, congressmen, and spectators rose. Pages opened the swinging doors leading from the cloak rooms to the south of the rostrum. A joint escort committee composed of Senators Overman, Johnson of Maine, James, Work, Smith of Michigan, and Representatives Kitchin, Mann, Fitzgerald, Carlin, and Fordney, walked through the doors in twos.

President Wilson followed. His appearance met with a storm of hand clapping and some cheers from both the floor and the galleries. The president mounted the steps of the rostrum, exchanged greetings and handclasps with the speaker and the president pro tempore, bowed acknowledgment to the applause and stood waiting behind the clerk's desk. In his right hand he carried the loose pages of his message.

Wilson Begins Reading Message.

As the demonstration ended, Speaker Clark uttered the formal introduction and President Wilson began the reading of his message as the marble clock on the chamber wall pointed to 12:42. He spoke in an even voice. He used only the slightest inflection with a seldom and slight gesture of the right hand.

During the beginning of the message, in which the president urged the lawmakers to put into effect the administration's plans for national defense, there was an absence of enthusiasm. But there was no appearance of indifference when the president uttered his denunciation of the hyphenated citizens. In an instant applause broke from every corner of the floor and galleries. The president had struck a responsive note.

There was more spontaneous approval later for the president's recommendation that more adequate federal laws be passed by this congress to deal with the condition.

Democrats Lead in Applause.

Other periods of expressed approbation followed the president's coupling of his views of pan-Americanism with the plans for a greater preparedness and the reaffirmation of the Monroe doctrine. With the mention of the administration's attitude toward Mexico, hearty applause was sounded from the Democratic side of the floor.

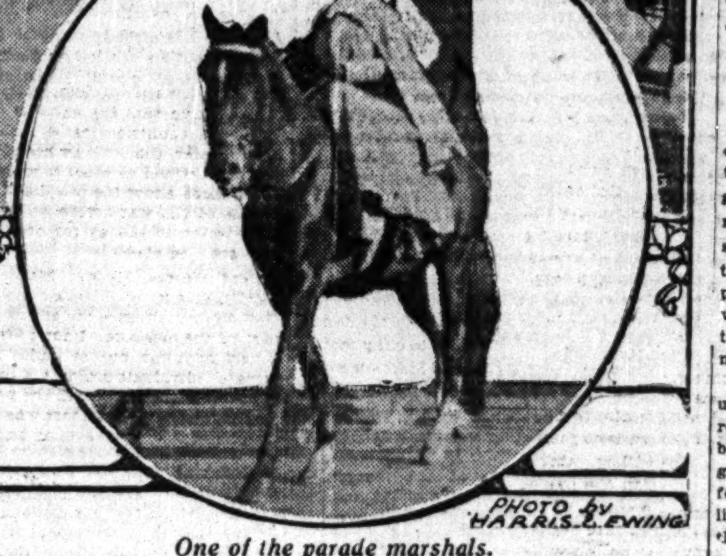
Throughout the entire delivery of his message the president did not move from his position at the desk of the reading clerk. Most of the time his eyes were on his notes. It was 1:45 when he delivered his last paragraph.

There are scarcely more than 500 seats in the house galleries. To each senator and each representatives there had been allotted one ticket. With 435 members of the house and ninety-six senators each with one ticket the "average citizen" had small chance to even get standing room in the galleries.

Dozens of seats were reserved in the executive gallery for the guests who accompanied the president from the White House. The diplomatic gallery was crowded, some of the guests being forced to find seats on the steps leading down from the corridor doors. Frank L. Polk, counsellor of the state department, accompanied Counsellor Barclay of the British embassy. There was a large representation from the Japanese legation as well as from a number of the Latin American embassies.

Suffragists Advancing in Force on Capitol at Washington.

The parade on east front of the capitol.



One of the parade marshals.

The suffragists played an interesting part in the opening of congress Monday, when they escorted the envoys appointed by the woman voters' convention which met in San Francisco last September to the capitol and then to the White House. They presented a petition bearing 500,000 signatures for the enactment of the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the constitution enfranchising women.

The famous four mile petition was rolled on huge spools and 100 feet of its length was born unrolled in the parade by twenty bearers.

One copy of the resolutions adopted by the woman voters' convention was presented to the congressional committee at the capitol and the other to the president.

SEEK SUPPORT OF DEMOCRATS

Suffragists and Foes Urge Views on National Committee.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—Suffragists and anti-suffragists appeared this afternoon before the national Democratic committee and urged consideration of their views.

Chairman McCombs announced that fifteen minutes each would be accorded the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, the Woman Suffrage party, and the National Association for Woman Suffrage.

Mrs. Florence Knight Kelly of New York, secretary of the National Consumers' league, introduced Mrs. Lily C. Wolstonholm, a member of the Utah legislature; Mrs. Sara Bard Field of Oregon, and Miss Frances Jolliffe of California for the Congressional union, who urged the committee to support the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment in this congress.

Ask Suffrage Plank in Platform.

Mrs. Antoinette Funk of Chicago, vice chairman of the Congressional union of the National Woman Suffrage association, and Miss Kate Gordon of Louisiana asked that the committee insert a suffrage plank in the Democratic platform. Mrs. Arthur J. Dodge and Mrs. George of the national association closed for the opposition.

Assisted by Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the president; Mrs. Florence Hayward Hilles, daughter of the first American ambassador at London; Miss Alice Paul, Miss Lucy Burns, and others, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont entertained at a reception tonight in honor of Mrs. Sara Bard Field of Oregon and Miss Francis Jolliffe.

Many Guests at Reception.

They are the envoys who brought from San Francisco the petitions delivered yesterday to the president and congress urging the passage of the Susan B. Anthony amendment.

The guests included men and women prominent in official and social life at the capital, and the delegates to the first annual convention of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Met at noon and then assembled with the house to hear President Wilson's address. Adjourned at 2:18 p. m. till noon Friday.

HOUSE.

Met at noon and then received the senate in joint session. Adjourned at 1:53 p. m. till noon Friday.

CITY HALL DELEGATIONS WILL GO TO WASHINGTON.

Four Official Parties to Travel Eastward, and They All Want Something.

Four delegations from the city hall will leave for Washington and other eastern cities within the next few days.

Corporation Counsel Samuel Ettelson and one of his assistants, James G. Skinner, with Ald. Harry Littler and W. J. Healy leave today to seek an appropriation of $761,000 to complete the breakwater to protect the municipal pier.

Mayor Thompson and several aldermen plan to leave Sunday to boost Chicago before the national Republican committee as the 1916 convention city.

H. V. McGurren, secretary of the compensation bureau; W. O. Johnson, secretary of the harbor commission; Ald. James A. Kearns, and one or two other councilmen depart tomorrow for Philadelphia and Boston to investigate the granting of concessions for municipal piers.

The proposed Franklin-Orleans street bridge will be the subject of a conference in the office of the secretary of war next Tuesday. Assistant Corporation Counsel Hornstein and Harbor Master Weckler are scheduled to be there.

WILSON PLANS ADVISORY BOARD OF RAILROAD MEN.

Thinks Technical Experts Would Be of Great Assistance to Army and Navy in War.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—President Wilson is studying the question of forming an advisory body of railroad men, manufacturers, technical experts, as suggested in his address to congress today, and it became known tonight that he probably would begin its organization in the near future. The army war college already has investigated the subject in a general way and the president is known to believe the government can gain much valuable assistance from the men in actual charge of the resources of the country, which would have to be utilized by the army and navy in case of war.

NEWS PURELY PERSONAL.

COL. W. P. HEPBURN, former congressman from the Eighth Iowa district, is somewhat improved. Col. Hepburn, who is 82 years old, has been suffering for about two weeks from heart and kidney troubles at his home in Clarinda, Ia.

DR. ROMULO S. NAON, ambassador of Argentina to the United States, arrived at Buenos Aires on a vacation.

BUSINESS HEADS ATTACK WILSON

Pennsylvania Delegates Refuse to Withdraw Charge He Acted for Gain.

Refusal of the Pennsylvania delegates to withdraw an attack on President Wilson and the adoption of resolutions calling for a revision of the tariff upward with special leniency toward dye manufacturers and for the establishment of a permanent tariff commission were outstanding features of the tariff conference yesterday at the Congress hotel.

About 200 manufacturers from eastern and middle west states were present. The conference was under the auspices of the Illinois Manufacturers' association.

Attack on Wilson.

Joseph R. Grundy, president of the Pennsylvania association, and John Fisler, representing the Philadelphia textile industry, assailed President Wilson, both for the Underwood tariff law and the "lobby" investigation in the former congress.

Mr. Grundy said the attitude of the president and members of his party in congress toward reputable manufacturers in the lobby inquiry was "dishonorable." He said the congressional inquiry seemed to be particularly imbued with the purpose to discredit American manufacturers, who had a perfect right to go to Washington and urge their congressmen not to destroy their business with free trade tariffs.

Rights of Lobbyists.

"The business men," he said, "were called before the investigating committees and quizzed as though they didn't have the same rights at Washington as others. It was dishonorable on the part of the president to support such a program.

"We are now subjected to an income tax, and the present administration is considering an inheritance tax to burden further the men in the industries of the nation to make up the deficit in revenues caused by the tariff policy of the administration."

Mr. Grundy also took a wallop at the "muckraking" magazines, charging that they were playing into the hands of the retailers as against the manufacturers because the retailers furnished them their advertising.

Mr. Fisler more directly attacked the president. He said unless the protective tariff is restored at once the textile industry of the country will be completely ruined in less than three months after the European war ends.

Then Mr. Fisler referred to the president as a "school teacher actuated by personal gain," and added:

"Business in this country never was so bad as now except where helped by the war. The present tariff has utterly destroyed the average business."

H. W. Bolens, president of the Wisconsin association, took exception to Fisler's remarks and made formal request that the gentleman withdraw them.

"I do not withdraw one word," retorted Mr. Fisher.

Part of Resolution.

The resolutions, after holding that the present tariff law has demonstrated its "detrimental principle," set forth:

"That it is the sense of this conference that we favor such immediate revision of tariff schedules as will provide ample revenue for the necessary requirements of government expenditures and in addition protect the employment of labor and capital in the industries of our country from the dumping of foreign products on American markets and from unfavorable trade conditions that result from difference in cost of production at home and abroad.

"That as an aid to the ultimate solution of the problems of tariff schedules we favor the creation of a permanent tariff commission or other necessary official agency to investigate the operations of the then existing tariff law with the purpose of furnishing expert information to congress from time to time, enabling it to make such changes as may be necessary to correct inequalities while maintaining sufficient rates to insure the continuance and further development of American industries and maintenance of American standards of living and provide required government revenue."

PETER WIDENER EMPLOYES RECEIVE GIFT OF $100,000.

Son of Late Philadelphia Millionaire Philanthropist Distributes Money on Thanksgiving Day.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—The reward of faithful service was given to the employes of the late Peter A. B. Widener, the millionaire philanthropist, when $100,000 given to his son without stipulation as to its use by direction of the deceased man's will, was distributed on Thanksgiving day by Joseph E. Widener to those who were closely associated with his father during the last few years.

CRANE EVADES DOORKEEPER; ACT ROILS CLARK

Chicagoan Gets Seat to Hear Wilson Speech by Joining Senator's Line.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Members of the house of representatives, including Speaker Clark and Minority Leader Mann, today expressed indignation when they discovered that Charles R. Crane, millionaire Chicagoan and intimate friend of President Wilson, had slipped into the line of United States senators as it proceeded into the chamber and thereby obtained an advantageous seat on the floor of the house to hear President Wilson's address.

Both Mr. Clark and Mr. Mann called the incident to the attention of J. J. Sinnott, the doorkeeper of the house, and demanded an explanation. Mr. Sinnott's explanation aroused even more indignation than Mr. Crane's actual presence.

Houston Phones for Seat.

According to the doorkeeper, Secretary of Agriculture Houston called him over the telephone this morning to request a gallery ticket for Mr. Crane. Mr. Sinnott informed the secretary that all the seats in the galleries had been allotted to congressmen and senators and to the president. He expressed regret that he was unable to accommodate the secretary and Mr. Crane, but he said there was nothing he could do.

He thought the incident was closed until shortly after the president finished reading his address, when he was asked by Minority Leader Mann how Mr. Crane got on the floor. Mr. Mann's inquiry was followed by one from Bennett Clark, parliamentarian of the house, who stated that his father, the speaker, was interested in knowing how Mr. Crane got there and why he was allowed to stay, in violation of the house rules.

Walked with Samuel Graham.

Investigation developed the fact that Mr. Crane walked into the chamber with Samuel G. Graham, an assistant attorney general. Graham has made a practice in the past of getting into the senatorial line and thereby finding himself a seat in the house whenever President Wilson delivered an address. Senator Owen of Oklahoma is believed by house officials to have invited Mr. Crane into the line.

When Doorkeeper Sinnott discovered that Graham had been there again today he requested a friend to point out the assistant attorney general. Then he said to newspaper men:

"If Mr. Graham ever comes on the floor of the house again while I am doorkeeper I shall take it upon myself personally to eject him. He has no right there, and he shall not be permitted to stay there."

Illinois Officials Offenders.

Crane and Graham were not the only offenders. Lewis G. Stevenson of Bloomington, secretary of state of Illinois, and State Auditor Brady of Illinois accompanied Gov. Dunne when he went in to hear the president's address. Gov. Dunne is entitled to the privileges of the floor, but the other state officers are not. Minority Leader Mann also called the attention of the doorkeeper to their presence after the president had concluded his address.

While these four persons who had no claim to the privileges of the floor were taking them nevertheless, one quite distinguished man who was entitled to them nearly missed the president's address. He is Gen. William L. Sibert, one of the Panama canal engineers.

He tried in vain to get a ticket and was about to give up the attempt when he was told that he was entitled to a seat, because he was one of the officers who received a vote of thanks by congress. He got his seat and it was a good one.

VICE PRESIDENT IS ROBBED.

But Mr. Marshall Didn't Know It Until He Missed a Box of Cigars—No Valuables Stolen.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 7.—When Vice President Marshall missed a box of very fine cigars today he realized for the first time that his house had been robbed. The burglars got little aside from the cigars, for all valuables were in safety deposit boxes.

FORD SEEKING CONGRESS' AID

Leader's Wireless Message to Be Read in Both Houses Friday.

WILL STOP ALL WARS?

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—A wireless dispatch was received in Washington tonight from Henry Ford, the master of the good ship Oscar II., which is bound for foreign parts on a peace mission. The dispatch was addressed to congress and asks that body to support Mr. Ford in his plan to bring the European war to an end and get men out of the trenches by the first of the new year.

Copies of the dispatch were placed in the hands of Speaker Clark and the vice president tonight. It will be read in the two houses when they meet on Friday. The message reads as folows:

"We, citizens of the United States, now sailing to Europe on the steamship Oscar II. with the serious purpose of uniting the citizens of European neutral countries is an organized effort to deliver the men from the trenches and the women from their suffering and agonies and restore the peace of the world upon an honorable and just basis which will stop the mad race of competitive armament, do hereby earnestly petition and estreat you to give the peace mission your support and encouragement so that it may succeed at the earliest practical moment. HENRY FORD,

"For the 160 members of the international peace commission."

Ford Hopes to End All Wars.

Another wireless message from the vessel represented Mr. Ford as saying even should he succeed in ending the present war he would not feel that he had been truly successful as long as other wars were possible in the future and that he will make an effort to prevent future conflicts.

Gov. L. B. Hanna of North Dakota, who also is on the peace ship, sent a wireless message to the state department asking Secretary Lansing to give passports so the party can visit belligerent nations.

Ford Aids Prepare to Sail.

New York, Dec. 7.—The second section of the Ford peace expedition, including twenty peace delegates, college students and newspaper correspondents, scurried about today making final preparations for sailing tomorrow on the liner Frederik VIII.

Swedish Welcome Rumor Denied.

LONDON, Dec. 8, 3 a. m.—The Christiania correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "Henry Ford's statement that he has received a telegram from King Haakon of Norway assuring him and his party of a welcome is denied. The expedition, which is regarded with amusement here, will not be officially welcomed by any corporation or society.

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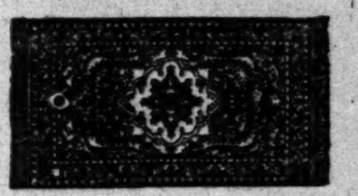

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SEES WEAKNESS IN WILSON PLAN FOR U. S. ARMY

"Tribune" Expert Picks Flaws in President's Scheme for Citizen Troops.

"A free people ought not only to be armed but disciplined, to which end a uniform and well digested plan is requisite."
—GEORGE WASHINGTON.

BY CAPT. HENRY J. REILLY.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—The fundamentals of the president's attitude towards national defense as shown by his message are:

First, a regular establishment never larger than actually needed in times of peace.

Second, the reliance in times of danger on a rising of the citizens to defend themselves as the farmers rose at Lexington, with the modification that the men who are to rise are to receive a certain amount of training in a so-called continental army.

Third, an increase in the navy consisting of ten battleships, six battle cruisers, ten scout cruisers, fifty destroyers, fifteen fleet submarines, eighty-five coast submarines, four gunboats, one hospital ship, two ammunition ships, two fuel oil ships, and one repair ship.

On examination this means that our foreign possessions are only to have such garrisons as may be necessary to keep order in time of peace.

Garrisons Not of Full Strength.

The fact that these garrisons are not strong enough in case of attack is not considered, unless it is intended to rely upon hastily raised troops from among the inhabitants or to reinforce them by sending troops from the United States when war is imminent or has been declared.

No active enemy would permit us to reinforce these garrisons even if we could spare the troops from the United States, which we could not under the conditions which will exist if the president's ideas are put in effect.

His statements mean that the garrison at home is to consist only of such troops as may be necessary to enforce the law and to instruct the continental army. In other words, the regular army is to be a constabulary and a corps of instructors and not an army to be relied upon to receive the first shock of invasion.

Reliance on Citizen Army.

This is shown by his statement with respect to the reliance in time of danger to be placed on a civilian force called the continental army. This army is to consist of 400,000 men, raised at the rate of 133,000 a year. The training is to be only for a period of two months in each of three successive years.

It is well known that nothing less than a year of continuous active training can make even a reasonably efficient soldier. Yet this is the force upon which chief reliance is to be placed in case of invasion by the well trained troops of the European powers or Japan. In spite of the belief that we should have at least 500,000 well trained troops immediately available this plan puts chief reliance in a partially trained force of 400,000. This force is to be raised by voluntary enlistment among young men who can manage to get two months a year away from their affairs.

The experience of the training camps shows that the number of men who are willing to spend a month in camp and whose employers are willing to have them do so amounts to but a few thousand at the outside.

Few Coast Defense Troops.

He fails to provide sufficient coast defense troops to properly man the fortifications which are necessary if we are to keep our harbors and roadsteads from being used by an enemy. He fails to provide sufficient trained troops to check enemy forces which can be landed on our coasts.

He fails to recognize the fact shown by all military history and particularly by our own that partially trained troops cannot be relied upon to check, much less defeat, trained ones.

He fails to recognize the lessons of our own history, which show that the voluntary system cannot be relied upon to raise sufficient forces for a great war.

BELGIANS STILL NEED AID.

New York, Dec. 7.—The following statement was issued tonight in behalf of the commission for relief in Belgium:

"An erroneous impression to the effect that there is no further need for benevolent relief for Belgium seems to have gained circulation. On the contrary, the need in Belgium as the severe winter is approaching is greater than ever."

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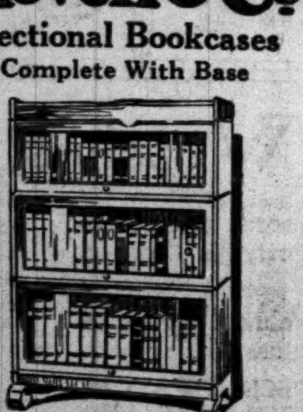

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1—American Standard Oil tanker Petrolite fired on by Austrian submarine Saturday just off western end of Island of Crete, 120 miles to the south.

2—American oil steamer Communipaw sunk Tuesday off Tobruk, Tripoli, supposedly by same submarine that attacked Petrolite.

CAPTURED BRITONS RETURN INCAPACITATED TO ENGLAND

Irish Soldiers Say Sir Roger Casement Urged Them While in Prison to Help Germany.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—A convoy of incapacitated British soldiers released from German military prisons arrived in England today. Two of the Irish soldiers among them told the Daily Mail of efforts made by Sir Roger Casement to persuade the Irish prisoners to join the Germans.

"Sir Roger Casement," they said, "visited the camp at Limberg and said: 'Now is the chance to strike a blow for Ireland. What has England done for you?' He promised all kinds of advantages for joining the Germans."

ITALIAN TROOPS CAPTURE AUSTRIAN WAR MATERIAL.

Attacks in the Carso Net Gas Producing Machine, Two Trench Mortars, Rifles, and Munitions.

ROME, via London, Dec. 7.—The following official communication on operations against the Austrians was issued today:

There has been intense artillery action on both sides, especially in the Giudicaria valley, the Concei valley, and Cernia district.

Vigorous action by our infantry in the Carso enabled us to capture some war material, including a gas producing machine, two trench mortars, rifles, and munitions.

MACHINE GUNNERS SWORN IN

New Troop of Illinois National Guard Mustered Into Service by Col. Foreman.

The first group of recruits for the machine gun troop was sworn in last night at the armory, 1327 North Clark street, by Col. Milton J. Foreman, commanding officer, First cavalry, Illinois national guard. Lieut. Paul O'Donnell, in charge of the troop, says there are still a number of vacancies and he is anxious to get experienced men. He is interesting former members of the cavalry regiment. No raw recruits will be taken after Jan. 1 for the troop.

Big Munitions Shipments.

New York, Dec. 7.—War supplies worth $15,000,000 were shipped to the allies from New York in the five business days of last week. The amount included $10,000,000 worth of explosives, $2,000,000 in empty shells, and $3,000,000 for other materials.

JAPANESE PREMIER URGES HASTE IN NAVAL INCREASE.

Speaker, Addressing Diet, Reviews Chinese Situation—Sees Entente Determination Growing Stronger.

TOKIO, Dec. 7.—Count Okuma, the Japanese premier, having recovered from the indisposition caused by an operation on his leg recently, addressed the diet today.

The premier emphasized the statement that the project for naval repletion which was ratified by the council of defense was the first necessity in the present situation of the world.

"Not a day can be lost in carrying out the plan," he declared.

Baron Ishii, minister of foreign affairs, reviewed the Chinese situation without referring to the question of China allying itself with the entente powers, as it has been invited to do. As to the question of the reëstablishment of the monarchy in China, the foreign minister said that China contemplated some delay in the execution of its plan.

Referring to the peace pact of the entente allies, whereby each nation agrees not to make a separate peace, Baron Ishii said that Japan joined because her adhesion would demonstrate to the world that the unity and determination of the entente allies were growing stronger.

HEAVY ATTACKS BY GERMANS REPULSED, RUSSIANS REPORT

Petrograd Records Renewed Activity by Infantry and Artillery on Southern End of Line.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 7.—The official communication from general headquarters today reads as follows:

Near the village of Krevo, south of the Viliya river, we shot down an enemy aeroplane and captured its occupants. In the region of the village of Janovka, northeast of the town of Buczacz, the enemy, protected by a violent artillery fire, endeavored to advance eastward, but was repulsed toward the village of Pelava.

Equally unsuccessful were enemy attempts to attack our troops near the villages of Zayloverz and Fyschkovtze, in the Buczacz region. West of Lake Sventen and south of the Viliya, near the village of Tsebroff, northwest of Tarnopol, our scouting parties carried out successful reconnaissances.

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GRIEVANCE AT ITALY MEANT BY PAPAL MESSAGE?

Comment on Departure of German Ambassadors from Vatican Brings Official Reply.

ROME, Dec. 7.—Pope Benedict in his allocution delivered before the secret consistory yesterday dwelt upon the misfortunes which the war has brought upon the holy see and referred to his previous complaint that the pontiff had been deprived of the liberty necessary for the government of the church.

He said that some of the ambassadors and ministers, by reason of such a state of events, had left the vatican "in order to maintain their personal dignity and the prerogatives of their office."

"Certainly those who govern Italy are not wanting in good intentions to eliminate the inconveniences," said the pontiff, "but this of itself clearly demonstrates that the position of the pontiff is dependent upon the civil authorities.

Position Unfortunate.

"Moreover, it was impossible to avoid, on account of the force of circumstances, a number of inconveniences of a serious nature. Not to speak of others, we shall limit ourselves to observe that some of the ambassadors and ministers accredited to us by their sovereigns were constrained to depart in order to protect their personal dignity and the prerogatives of their office. This means the curtailing of the inherent rights of the holy see and a weakening of the necessary guarantees which she needs in her dealings with foreign governments."

Pope Benedict concluded by saying that he knew that his sorrow was shared by the sacred college and the whole of the Christian people.

Government Replies.

The following semi-official communication has been published by the Italian government respecting the pope's allocution:

"The representatives of the central empires, despite the most explicit and precise assurances from the Italian government concerning the protection of their personal safety, rights, and privileges granted by law, insisted upon leaving Rome of their own free will."

DEBATE PRICES ON GERMAN FOOD

Reichstag Speakers Try to Place Blame for High Cost of Products.

ALL FACTIONS AT FAULT

BERLIN, via London, Dec. 7.—Vigorous and unrestrained discussion of the problem of food regulation continues in the budget committee of the reichstag.

Full reports of the debate are not appearing in the newspapers, but the accounts published indicate that one aspect of the discussion consists of controversial attempts to lay the blame for various alleged failings on the shoulders of producers, dealers, or consumers, or representatives of different ministries.

Both the minister of the interior, Clemens Delbrueck, and the Prussian minister of agriculture, Baron von Schorlemer, have come under fire.

Takes Slap at Producers.

One radical speaker directed his criticism against producers for desiring higher maximum prices. He pointed out that the German tariff system in times of peace had been directed for years toward strengthening German agriculture for its task in war time.

Every slice of bread and every pound of meat had been burdened with a tax for this purpose. Farmers should therefore be contented with small profits at the present.

The regulations already put into force for the distribution of food products are being discussed at length. Some of the members contend that the federal council delayed its action too long.

Butter Supply a Problem.

The butter problem engaged the attention of most of the speakers, many people, as one critic put it, being more concerned with the question of whether they should have butter on their bread than that they have bread on which to spread the butter.

It is a fact, according to reports from all sides, that more criticism has been stirred up among the poorer classes by the recent difficulties in securing butter, oleomargarine, lard, and other substitutes than by almost any other government measure.

Minister Delbrueck made a short statement, declaring that the regulation of the supply of fats was the most difficult task in the field of food regulations. He announced that the government had decided to permit the sale of imported butter at a higher price than that charged for the home article.

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AUSTRIAN RAIDS IN THE ADRIATIC NET MANY SHIPS

French Submarine Among Victims Off Albania; Montenegrin City Falls.

A report from Vienna says Austrian squadrons sunk a French submarine and several other ships in the Adriatic off the Albanian coast. Berlin claims the capture of Ipek, Montenegro, with many prisoners. Defeat of the Bulgarians by the French in the south is embodied in a report from Paris. A victory in this sector also is claimed by Berlin.

FRENCH SUBMARINE SUNK.

VIENNA, via London, Dec. 7.—Destruction of the French submarine Fresnel by an Austrian warship is announced officially by the war office. The incident occurred near San Giovanni di Medua. Two officers and twenty-five of the crew were captured. Many other ships were sunk.

The official communication issued by the war office says:

The Austrian cruiser Novara, with some destroyers, on Dec. 5 sank at San Giovanni di Medua three large and two small steamers, and five large and several small sailing vessels while they were discharging war material. One steamer was blown up. Our flotilla was bombarded very heavily from land by about twenty guns, but without success.

Our warships destroyed the French submarine Fresnel and captured the commander, the second officer, and twenty-five men.

In the night of Nov. 23 another flotilla sank an Italian steamer armed with three guns, and an Italian motor sailing vessel, which was fully loaded and enroute from Brindisi to Durazzo. The survivors of the steamer, including four marines, were captured. The crew of the motor sailing vessel were released in their boats.

[San Giovanni di Medua is on the Albanian coast of the Adriatic well to the south of the Montenegrin border and thirty-five miles north of Durazzo. The presence of an Austrian warship in these waters may indicate an Austrian naval movement in attempted interference with allied plans for expeditionary or other aid for the Serbians and Montenegrins by way of Montenegro and Albania.]

Operations in Serbia.

South of Plevlje we repulsed Montenegrin attacks. In the frontier section, north of Berane, our troops are attacking the Montenegrin main positions. Yesterday at noon we stormed the intrenchments north of Suhodof. South of Novibazar we captured another 1,300 prisoners.

The district east of Ipek was the scene yesterday of further severe fighting, the enemy being everywhere repulsed and losing six guns. Early today we penetrated into Ipek, and the Bulgarians occupied Djakova.

German War Report.

BERLIN, via London, Dec. 7.—The official German statement on the Balkan operations issued today follows:

On account of a threatened envelopment of their positions in the Cerna-Karasu-Vardar salient, the French have been compelled to give up their positions there.

Bulgar War Report.

SOFIA, via London, Dec. 7.—An official communication issued here today on Serbian operations says:

The division destined to cut off the retreat of the Serbian Monastir garrison compelled the Serbians to evacuate Monastir on the third. Today we occupied the town.

West of Prisrend the advance toward Djakova proceeded. About noon a division of our troops crossed the White Drin and the evening of the fourth occupied Djakova.

The defeat of Serbians near Kulaluma had the character of a catastrophe. During the flight from Prisrend to Kulaluma the Serbians lost all their artillery, automobiles, the royal carriage, and a considerable quantity of munitions.

The Albanians are revolting and are fighting against the Serbian bands wandering through the Albanian mountains.

Bulgarian Attack Repulsed.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Defeat of the Bulgarians in attacks on the French line at three points, at Abozarki, Demir-Kapu, and Costmorino, is reported in dispatches from Athens to the Havas News agency under today's date. The engagements took place on Dec. 5.

The Serbian retreat into Albania, says the dispatch, is proving difficult because of the cold weather and the bad state of the roads, and also is hampered by the presence in the Serbian ranks of more than 40,000 Austrian prisoners.

There are now 100,000 Serbian troops and 20,000 refugees gathered in Albania, the Athens advices state.

Montenegrin War Report.

The Montenegrin consul general here today received the mollowing official communication:

On the 5th the enemy attacked near Tchelritch and in the direction of Plevje. Our weak detachments by stubborn fighting held out the whole day and then retired to their principal lines of defense. The general situation has compelled us to evacuate Djajesuva district.

On the 6th two Austrian aeroplanes dropped eight bombs on Cettinje, causing insignificant damage.

On the morning of the 4th an Austrian squadron composed of a cruiser and seven destroyers bombarded San Giovanni di Medua. Two steamers, one of which was an Italian, were sunk, as well as ten Montenegrin sailing ships loaded with provisions. A French submarine has been destroyed near Boyana. The crew were taken prisoners.

Bulgar Mutineers Shot?

LONDON, Dec. 7.—An unconfirmed report of the mutiny of a Bulgarian infantry regiment received in Amsterdam from Frankfort was forwarded today by the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company. This report is to the effect that the regiment was ordered to proceed to the Gallipoli penisula to fight with the Turks and that when it refused to obey the command 300 of the mutineers were shot.

Allies' Line in Southern Serbia.

Conflicting reports of the fighting in southern Serbia were received from Berlin and Paris yesterday. From Germany came the claim that the Bulgars had attacked the allies' salient at the angle of the Cherna and Vardar rivers in the flank and forced the French to retire to escape being outflanked.

The French report claimed the Bulgars had been repulsed at Abozarki, Demir-Kapu (the Iron Gate of the Vardar river south of Krivolak) and at Costmorino.

GET BIG COTTON ORDER.

Citizens of One European Belligerent Bid 20 Cents a Pound for 1,000,000 Bales.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 7.—Announcement was made here today before the Association of State Presidents of Farmers' Unions that an order had been received from citizens of one of the European belligerents for 1,000,000 bales of cotton at 20 cents a pound. The name of the country was not given. As the allies have put cotton on the absolute contraband list, there would be no chance to deliver the cotton unless it was for one of the allied governments.

DISCUSSES SPLIT OF SERBIA AMONG ITS CONQUERORS

European Political Expert Hints at Fate of Kingdom if Central Powers Win War.

BERLIN, via London, Dec. 7.—Serbia's future status, which is the subject of much speculation not only in Austria but in Germany, is discussed today in an article in the Vossiche Zeitung by the well known Viennese political writer, Dr. Friedjung.

Dr. Friedjung regards it as a settled matter, in view of the utterances of Bulgarian statesmen, that Bulgaria will retain not only eastern Serbia, including Nish and Pirot, which have predominantly Bulgarian populations, but also Macedonia and a strip of the Danube, giving a common frontier to Hungary and Bulgaria.

Demand Belgrade Be Kept.

Moreover, the writer says, Austria will be unable to renounce certain frontier regions. The Austrian military authorities, he says, demand the retention of Belgrade as a bridgehead in order to avoid another bloody crossing of the Danube in any future war, but it is uncertain what attitude the Vienna government will take.

The general opinion in responsible political circles before the war, according to Dr. Friedjung, was averse to territorial acquisitions, the conviction being that Austria had enough for its own good, but that political considerations now will be the determining factor.

The view predominates in Hungary, the writer says, that it would be inexpedient to annex Serbia because this would dangerously increase the strength of the Slavs in the dual monarchy.

May Reduce Serb Territory.

Dr. Friedjung, while admitting that radical views are more strongly represented in Austria, regards the government as inclined to a moderate solution of Serbia's fate. The government, he says, probably prefers to give Serbia continued existence, but a reduced territory, and probably is disposed to make easier terms of the Karageorgevich dynasty is previously dethroned.

Nevertheless, Dr. Friedjung says, the settlement of Serbia's fate must depend upon what its conquerors regard expedient from their standpoint.

Whether independent or not, Serbia will have to adopt a straightforward and honest policy of friendly relations with the central powers.

Dr. Friedjung intimates that the decision of the central powers regarding Poland will influence Austria's decision concerning Serbia, since, he says, an increased Slav population in the north would render a second increase in the south undesirable.

CHINESE MUTINEERS SHOT, BUT RIOTING CONTINUES.

Sporadic Acts of Terrorism Prevail in Shanghai—Many Are Arrested.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 7.—A dispatch received here from Shanghai says: "Most of the rebels on the Chinese cruiser Chao-Ho have been shot. Sporadic acts of terrorism still are reported in the city, and numerous arrests have been made."

J. GORDON BENNETT OUT.

Paris Editor Able to Leave Bed After Several Days' Illness.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—James Gordon Bennett has been confined to his house by illness for several days, but he is well enough to continue his usual ten hours a day work.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN EUROPE'S BIG WAR

British fleet under Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee destroyed four German cruisers in great naval battle off the Falkland islands.

France reported that violent German attacks at St. Eloy, south of Ypres, had been repulsed.

Russians, driven from Lodz by German advance, fell back on new line and again prepared to defend Warsaw.

British occupied Bussorah, in Asia Minor.

HEAVY ARTILLERY ACTION REPORTED ON WESTERN LINE

Violent Bombardment by Opposing Gunners All Along Line—Yser Floods Balk German Forces.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—The following official communication covering operations on the western front was issued by the war office tonight:

In Belgium our artillery, in concert with the Belgian artillery, shelled an enemy work in the region of Het Sas. The work was shattered and two munitions depots were blown up.

In Artois the artillery engagement became more pronounced in the course of the day. The bombardment was violent on both sides in the region of Givenchy, to the north of the Bois en Hache, where fighting with large bombs took place. In the sector of the road from Lille our artillery successfully shelled the enemy underground passages.

In Champagne the action continued for the possession of the advanced trench to the south of Saint Souplet. Our counter attacks have already enabled us to regain a large part of the lost section.

The Belgian official communication reads:

Positive indications permit of the conclusion that the extensive inundation in the region of the Yser has caused great difficulties to the opposing troops, who have abandoned, under the menace of the water, a great number of their advance works.

German War Report.

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The war office today gave out the following report on western front conditions:

Near Berry-au-Bac a large mine was successfully exploded. A French trench, with its occupants, was destroyed. An enemy mine position that had been almost completed also was destroyed.

East of Auberive in the Champagne about 250 meters of an advanced French trench was taken. More than sixty men fell into our hands.

ALLIES IN ANOTHER GRAND OFFENSIVE AT DARDANELLES

Thirty Aeroplanes Attack Usun Kueprue, Throwing Many Bombs—Turks Believe It a "Bluff."

COLOGNE, Dec. 7, via London, Dec. 8, 3:10 a. m.—The Cologne Gazette's Constantinople correspondent says:

"The entente allies have begun a grand offensive at the Dardanelles, perhaps in consequence of Earl Kitchener's visit, but the Turkish authorities are inclined to believe it is only a bluff.

"Thirty entente allied aeroplanes on Saturday attacked Usun Kueprue, an important military and railway center on the line from Constantinople to Adrianople, throwing many bombs, but traffic on the line was maintained."

INCREASE EXPORT EMBARGO.

New York, Dec. 7.—Additional embargoes were placed on goods for export today by the Lehigh Valley railroad and the Central Railroad of New Jersey as part of the efforts being made by the eastern roads to relieve the freight congestion on the Atlantic seaboard.

GREEK PREMIER BACKS UP KING ON PEACE STAND

Says Nation Will Not Join War No Matter What Pressure Is Brought to Bear.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ATHENS, Dec. 6, via Paris, Dec. 7.—"Tell the American people that the government of Greece has only two aims—to safeguard the sovereignty of Greece and not to abandon neutrality no matter for what reason it may be urged to do so; no matter what inducements or pressures are brought to bear," said Premier Skouloudis in an interview today.

"I think I may say," the premier continued, "that the air, surcharged for months with misunderstandings, is at last clearing; that the entente powers are beginning to understand that while we are immovable on the two heads just stated, we are disposed in every other respect to give material expression to the feeling every Greek has towards France, Great Britain, and Russia, dating from Navarino.

Tells What Caused Friction.

"Two points which caused the recent friction are now in the way of amicable settlement. I proposed a conference between the military authorities on either side authorized to study the necessities of the situation and report on them, giving the Greek government and the entente diplomatists the benefit of their conclusions, from which a settlement could thus be reached.

"Today this was finally accepted, and Col. Fallis of the general staff is leaving for Saloniki to consult Gen. Sarrail, the French commander, to this end.

Cites Disasters Greece Avoided.

"What we want to avoid, what we shall avoid, is associating Greece with the uncertain outcome of the war. Had we joined the allies last spring when we were urged to do so, today we would have to bear the bulk of the cost of the failure of the Gallipoli venture.

"Had we joined at the inception of the recent Austro-German-Bulgarian attack on Serbia, we would now be bearing a large part of the price in blood and devastation following the crushing of the Serbians."

TURKS GAIN IN MESOPOTAMIA

British Take Refuge in Kut-el-Amara, Report from Berlin Says.

LOSE MANY SUPPLIES.

BERLIN, Dec. 7, by Wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.—Advices received here from the front in Mesopotamia are to the effect that the Turks are continuing to operate vigorously against the British expedition along the Tigris river.

They have driven the troops routed from the region of Bagdad within intrenchments at Kut-el-Amara and also expelled them from the north bank of the Tigris at this point.

The Turks, it is asserted, continue to capture the transport wagons attached to the expedition. Much ammunition was captured just above Kut-el-Amara. The losses in transport, it is said, not only will prevent a renewal of the British advance against Bagdad, but will endanger the further retreat of the expedition in case it should be driven from Kut-el-Amara.

Turkish War Report.

The Turkish headquarters report on operations in Mesopotamia, made public by the Overseas News agency, says:

On the Irak (Mesopotamia) front the Turkish troops continue to prosecute their offensive against the defeated British troops. On Dec. 2 the Turkish troops covered about fifteen and one-half miles in one day. Baghela, west of Kut-el-Amara, was occupied. During one week eight officers and 520 soldiers were made prisoners.

New Drive in Mesopotamia?

GENEVA, Dec. 7.—The Germans are preparing on a large scale for operations in Mesopotamia under Field Marshal Baron Kolmar von der Goltz, who yesterday was appointed commander of the Turkish forces in Mesopotamia, according to information received by the Journal de Geneve. Although the Germans speak ostensibly of Egypt, says the dispatch, it is not impossible that they may make their principal efforts this winter from Bagdad towards the Persian gulf.

Call Force Sufficient.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Referring to the criticism on the inadequacy of the force detailed to advance on Bagdad, the Marquis of Crewe, lord president of the council, said in the house of lords this afternoon that this was due to a misapprehension. The force at the disposal of Gen. Townshend, he said, was considerably larger than a division and was believed by competent authorities to be sufficient for the task assigned to it.

WAR FEVER COOLS IN ALL ROUMANIA; FOR NEUTRALITY?

People Fear Fate of Belgium and Serbia Unless Allies Put a Big Force in the Field.

GENEVA, Dec. 7.—During the last two months there has been a considerable veering of public opinion in favor of the neutrality policy of Premier Bratiano, says the correspondent at Bucharest of the Journal de Geneve.

"This has been largely due to the Austro-German invasion of Serbia and to the fear of Roumanians undergoing the lot of the Belgians and Serbians," the writer adds.

Most Roumanians with France.

"A majority of the ruling classes sympathize with France and hope it will be victorious, many Roumanians conciliating this sentiment with admiration of the strength and force of its resistance to Germany.

"A greater number detest Russia and have no confidence in its army. All Roumanians, however, agree in desiring national unity. In a word, the majority of Roumanians think Premier Bratiano has done well to wait, for it is believed the war will be a long one and that the small country has not the strength or means of resistance that the great powers have.

May Join Entente Later.

"All are convinced that Premier Bratiano will join the quadruple entente, but only when he can oppose to the 800,000 Austro-Hungarians, Germans, Bulgarians, and Turks an army of equal or superior strength.

"Roumania's intervention will be dependent upon the entry of the Russians into Bulgaria. Italian intervention in the Balkans is regarded with skepticism."

DUMA OPENING POSTPONED.

Czar Puts Off Assembly Indefinitely on Account of the Budget.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 7.—Emperor Nicholas has issued a rescript postponing indefinitely the opening of the duma and the council of the empire. This action is taken on the ground that the budget committees of those bodies have not yet completed the preparation of the budget.

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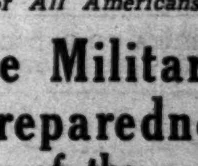

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PUNISH PLOTTER, PLAN A DEFENSE, PLEA TO NATION

Outlines to Congress Program for Larger Army and Navy and Merchant Marine.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—(Special.)—Following is the text of President Wilson's address, delivered to the senate and house of representatives in joint session today:

"Gentlemen of the congress: Since I last had the privilege of addressing you on the state of the union the war of nations on the other side of the sea, which had only then begun to disclose its portentous proportions, has extended its threatening and sinister scope until it has swept within its flame some portion of every quarter of the globe, not excepting our own hemisphere, has altered the whole face of international affairs, and now presents a prospect of reorganization and reconstruction such as statesmen and peoples have never been called upon to attempt before.

"We have stood apart, studiously neutral. It was our manifest duty to do so. Not only did we have no part or interest in the policies which seem to have brought the conflict on; it was necessary, if a universal catastrophe was to be avoided, that a limit should be set to the sweep of destructive war, and that some part of the great family of nations should keep the processes of peace alive, if only to prevent collective economic ruin and the breakdown throughout the world of the industries by which its populations are fed and sustained.

Must Keep World Balance.

"It was manifestly the duty of the self-governed nations of this hemisphere to redress, if possible, the balance of economic loss and confusion in the other, if they could do nothing more. In the day of readjustment and recuperation we earnestly hope and believe that they can be of infinite service.

"In this neutrality, to which they were bidden not only by their separate life and their habitual detachment from the politics of Europe, but also by a clear perception of international duty, the states of America have become conscious of a new and more vital community of interest and moral partnership in affairs, more clearly conscious of the many common sympathies and interests and duties which bid them stand together.

AMERICA IS PLEDGED TO MONROE DOCTRINE

"There was a time, in the early days of our own great nation and of the republics fighting their way to independence in Central and South America, when the government of the United States looked upon itself as in some sort the guardian of the republics to the south of it, as against any encroachment or efforts at political control from the other side of the water; felt it its duty to play the part even without invitation from them; and I think that we can claim that the task was undertaken with a true and disinterested enthusiasm for the freedom of the Americas and the unmolested self-government of their independent peoples.

"But it was always difficult to maintain such a rôle without offense to the pride of the peoples whose freedom of action we sought to protect, and without provoking serious misconceptions of our motives, and every thoughtful man of affairs must welcome the altered circumstances of the new day in whose light we now stand, when there is no claim of guardianship or thought of wards, but, instead, a full and honorable association as of partners between ourselves and our neighbors, in the interest of all America, north and south.

"Our concern for the independence and prosperity of the states of Central America and South America is not altered. We retain unabated the spirit that has inspired us throughout the whole life of our government and which was so frankly put into words by President Monroe. We still mean always to make a common cause of national independence and of political liberty in America. But that purpose is now better understood so far as it concerns ourselves. It is known not to be a selfish purpose. It is known to have in it no thought of taking advantage of any government in this hemisphere or playing its political fortunes for our own benefit. All the governments of America stand, so far as we are concerned, upon a footing of genuine equality and unquestioned independence.

AMERICA TO PRESERVE LIBERTIES OF MEXICO

"We have been put to the test in the case of Mexico, and we have stood the test. Whether we have benefited Mexico by the course we have pursued remains to be seen. Her fortunes are in her own hands. But we have at least proved that we will not take advantage of her in her distress and undertake to impose upon her an order and government of our own choosing.

"Liberty is often a fierce and intractable thing, to which no bounds can be set, and to which no bounds of a few men's choosing ought ever to be set. Every American who has drunk at the true fountains of principle and tradition must subscribe without reservation to the high doctrine of the Virginia bill of rights, which in the great days in which our government was set up was everywhere amongst us accepted as the creed of free men. That doctrine is, 'That government is, or ought to be, instituted for the common benefit, protection, and security of the people, nation, or community;' that 'of all the various modes and forms of government, that is the best which is capable of producing the greatest degree of happiness and safety, and is most effectually secured against the danger of maladministration; and that, when any government shall be found inadequate or contrary to these purposes, a majority of the community hath an indubitable, inalienable, and indefeasible right to reform, alter, or abolish it in such manner as shall be judged most conducive to the public weal.'

Await Rebirth of Nation.

"We have unhesitatingly applied that heroic principle to the case of Mexico, and now hopefully await the rebirth of the troubled republic, which had so much of which to purge itself and so little sympathy from any outside quarter in the radical but necessary process. We will aid and befriend Mexico, but we will not coerce her; and our course with regard to her ought to be sufficient proof to all America that we seek no political suzerainty or selfish control.

"The moral is that the states of America are not hostile rivals but coöperating friends, and that their growing sense of community of interest, alike in matters political and in matters economic, is likely to give them a new significance as factors in international affairs and in the political history of the world. It presents them as in a very deep and true sense a unit in world affairs, spiritual partners, standing together because thinking together, quick with common sympathies and common ideals.

"Separated they are subject to all the cross currents of the confused politics of a world of hostile rivalries; united in spirit and purpose they cannot be disappointed of their peaceful destiny.

Conference of Pan-Americans.

"This is pan-Americanism. It has none of the spirit of empire in it. It is the embodiment, the effectual embodiment, of the spirit of law and independence and liberty and mutual service.

"A very notable body of men recently met in the city of Washington, at the invitation and as the guests of this government, whose deliberations are likely to be looked back to as marking a memorable turning point in the history of America. They were representative spokesmen of the several independent states of this hemisphere, and were assembled to discuss the financial and commercial relations of the republics of the two continents which nature and political fortune have so intimately linked together.

"I earnestly recommend to your perusal the reports of their proceedings and of the actions of their committees. You will get from them, I think, a fresh conception of the ease and intelligence and advantage with which Americans of both continents may draw together in practical coöperation, and of what the material foundations of this hopeful partnership of interest must consist—of how we should build them, and of how necessary it is that we should hasten their building.

NATION'S FIRST DUTY IS SELF-DEFENSE

"There is, I venture to point out, an especial significance just now attaching to this whole matter of drawing the Americas together in bonds of honorable partnership and mutual advantage because of the economic readjustments which the world must inevitably witness within the next generation, when peace shall have at last resumed its healthful tasks. In the performance of these tasks I believe the Americas to be destined to play their parts together.

"I am interested to fix your attention on this prospect now because unless you take it within your view and permit the full significance of it to command your thought I cannot find the right light in which to set forth the particular matter that lies at the very front of my whole thought as I address you today. I mean national defense.

"No one who really comprehends the spirit of the great people for whom we are appointed to speak can fail to perceive that their passion is for peace, their genius best displayed in the practice of the arts of peace. Great democracies are not belligerent. They do not seek or desire war. Their thought is of individual liberty and of the free labor that supports life and the uncensored thought that quickens it. Conquest and dominion are not in our reckoning, or agreeable to our principles.

Justly Resent Aggression.

"But, just because we demand unmolested development and the undisturbed government of our own lives upon our own principles of right and liberty, we resent, from whatever quarter it may come, the aggression we ourselves will not practice. We insist upon security in prosecuting our self-chosen lines of national development. We do more than that: we demand it also for others.

"We do not confine our enthusiasm for individual liberty and free national development to the incidents and movements of affairs which affect only ourselves. We feel it wherever there is a people that tries to walk in these difficult paths of independence and right.

"From the first we have made common cause with all partisans of liberty on this side of the sea, and have deemed it as important that our neighbors should be free from all outside domination as that we ourselves should be; have set America aside as a whole for the uses of independent nations and political freemen.

Great Standing Army Opposed.

"Out of such thoughts grow all our policies. We regard war merely as a means of asserting the rights of a people against aggression. And we are as fiercely jealous of coercive or dictatorial power within our own nation as of aggression from without.

"We will not maintain a standing army except for uses which are as necessary in times of peace as in times of war, and we shall always see to it that our military peace establishment is no larger than is actually and continuously needed for the uses of days in which no enemies move against us. But we do believe in a body of free citizens, ready and sufficient to take care of themselves and of the governments which they have set up to serve them.

"In our constitutions themselves we have commanded that 'the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed,' and our confidence has been that our safety in times of danger would lie in the rising of the nation to take care of itself, as the farmers rose at Lexington.

Army a Disciplined Might.

"But war has never been a mere matter of men and guns. It is a thing of disciplined might. If our citizens are ever to fight effectively upon a sudden summons they must know how modern fighting is done, and what to do when the summons comes to render themselves immediately available and immediately effective.

"And the government must be their servant in this matter, must supply them with the training they need to take care of themselves and of it.

"The military arm of their government, which they will not allow to direct them, they may properly use to serve them and make their independence secure—and not their own independence merely, but the rights also of those with whom they have made common cause, should they also be put in jeopardy. They must be fitted to play the great rôle in the world, and particularly in this hemisphere, for which they are qualified by principle and by chastened ambition to play.

ARMY INCREASE PLAN OF WAR DEPARTMENT

"It is with these ideals in mind that the plans of the department of war for more adequate national defense were conceived which will be laid before you, and which I urge you to sanction and put into effect as soon as they can be properly scrutinized and discussed. They seem to me the essential first steps, and they seem to me for the present sufficient.

"They contemplate an increase of the standing force of the regular army from its present strength of 5,023 officers and 102,985 enlisted men of all services to a strength of 7,136 officers and 134,707 enlisted men, or 141,843 all told, all services, rank and file, by the addition of fifty-two companies of coast artillery, fifteen companies of engineers, ten regiments of infantry, four regiments of field artillery, and four aero squadrons, besides 750 officers required for a great variety of extra service, especially the all important duty of training the citizen force of which I shall presently speak, 792 noncommissioned officers for service in drill, recruiting and the like, and the necessary quota of enlisted men for the quartermaster corps, the hospital corps, the ordnance department, and other similar auxiliary services.

"These are the additions necessary to render the army adequate for its present duties, duties which it has to perform not only upon our own continental coasts and borders and at our interior army posts but also in the Philippines, in the Hawaiian islands, at the isthmus, and in Porto Rico.

Citizens to Give Reserve.

"By way of making the country ready to assert some part of its real power promptly and upon a larger scale, should occasion arise, the plan also contemplates supplementing the army by a force of 400,000 disciplined citizens, raised in increments of 133,000 a year throughout a period of three years.

"This it is proposed to do by a process of enlistment under which the serviceable men of the country would be asked to bind themselves to serve with the colors for purposes of training for short periods throughout three years, and to come to the colors at call at any time throughout an additional 'furlough' period of three years.

"This force of 400,000 men would be provided with personal accouterments as fast as enlisted and their equipment for the field made ready to be supplied at any time. They would be assembled for training at stated intervals at convenient places in association with suitable units of the regular army. Their period of annual training would not necessarily exceed two months in the year.

"It would depend upon the patriotic feeling of the younger men of the country whether they responded to such a call to service or not. It would depend upon the patriotic spirit of the employers of the country whether they made it possible for the younger men in their employ to respond under favorable conditions or not.

"I, for one, do not doubt the patriotic devotion either of our young men or of those who give them employment—those for whose benefit and protection they would in fact enlist. I would look forward to the success of such an experiment with entire confidence.

"At least so much by way of preparation for defense seems to me to be absolutely imperative now. We cannot do less.

NAVY IS FIRST LINE OF AMERICAN DEFENSE

"The program which will be laid before you by the secretary of the navy is similarly conceived. It involves only a shortening of the time within which plans long matured shall be carried out; but it does make definite and explicit a program which has heretofore been only implicit, held in the minds of the committees on naval affairs and disclosed in the debates of the two houses, but nowhere formulated or formally adopted.

"It seems to me very clear that it will be to the advantage of the country for the congress to adopt a comprehensive plan for putting the navy upon a final footing of strength and efficiency and to press that plan to completion within the next five years.

"We have always looked to the navy of the country as our first and chief line of defense; we have always seen it to be our manifest course of prudence to be strong on the seas. Year by year we have been creating a navy which now ranks very high indeed among the navies of the maritime nations. We should now definitely determine how we shall complete what we have begun, and how soon.

Program of Navy Building.

"The program to be laid before you contemplates the construction within five years of ten battleships, six battle cruisers, ten scout cruisers, fifty destroyers, fifteen fleet submarines, eighty-five coast submarines, four gunboats, one hospital ship, two ammunition ships, two fuel oil ships, and one repair ship.

"It is proposed that of this number we shall the first year provide for the construction of two battleships, two battle cruisers, three scout cruisers, fifteen destroyers, five fleet submarines, twenty-five coast submarines, two gunboats, and one hospital ship; the second year, two battleships, one scout cruiser, ten destroyers, four fleet submarines, fifteen coast submarines, one gunboat, and one fuel oil ship; the third year two battleships, one battle cruiser, two scout cruisers, five destroyers, two fleet submarines, and fifteen coast submarines; the fourth year, two battleships, two battle cruisers, two scout cruisers, ten destroyers, two fleet submarines, fifteen coast submarines, one ammunition ship, and one fuel oil ship; the fifth year, two battleships, one battle cruiser, two scout cruisers, ten destroyers, two fleet submarines, fifteen coast submarines, one gunboat, one ammunition ship, and one repair ship.

More Officers Are Needed.

"The secretary of the navy is asking also for the immediate addition to the personnel of the navy of 7,500 sailors, 2,500 apprentice seamen, and 1,500 marines. This increase would be sufficient to care for the ships which are to be completed within the fiscal year 1917 and also for the number of men which must be put in training to man the ships which will be completed early in 1918.

"It is also necessary that the number of midshipmen at the naval academy at Annapolis should be increased by at least 300 in order that the force of officers should be more rapidly added to; and authority is asked to appoint, for engineering duties only, approved graduates of engineering colleges and for service in the aviation corps a certain number of men taken from civil life.

"If this full program should be carried out we should have built or building in 1921, according to the estimates of survival and standards of classification followed by the general board of the department, an effective navy consisting of twenty-seven battleships of the first line, six battle cruisers, twenty-five battleships of the second line, ten armored cruisers, thirteen scout cruisers, five first class cruisers, three second class cruisers, ten third class cruisers, 108 destroyers, eighteen fleet submarines, 157 coast submarines, six monitors, twenty gunboats, four supply ships, fifteen fuel ships, four transports, three tenders to torpedo vessels, eight vessels of special types, two ammunition ships. This would be a navy fitted to our needs and worthy of our traditions.

AMERICA MUST HAVE A MERCHANT MARINE

"But armies and instruments of war are only part of what has to be considered if we are to consider the supreme matter of national self-sufficiency and security in all its aspects. There are other great matters which will be thrust upon our attention whether we will or not.

"There is, for example, a very pressing question of trade and shipping involved in this great problem of national adequacy. It is necessary for many weighty reasons of national efficiency and development that we should have a great merchant marine. The great merchant fleet we once used to make us rich, that great body of sturdy sailors who used to carry our flag into every sea, and who were the pride and often the bulwark of the nation, we have almost driven out of existence by inexcusable neglect and indifference and by a hopelessly blind and provincial policy of so-called economic protection. It is high time we repaired our mistake and resumed our commercial independence on the seas.

At Mercy of Others.

"For it is a question of independence. If other nations go to war or seek to hamper each other's commerce, our merchants, it seems, are at their mercy, to do as they please. We must use their ships, and use them as they determine. We have not ships enough of our own. We cannot handle our own commerce on the seas.

"Our independence is provincial, and is only on land and within our own borders. We are not likely to be permitted to use even the ships of other nations in rivalry of their own trade, and are without means to extend our commerce even where the doors are wide open and our goods desired. Such a situation is not to be endured.

"It is of capital importance not only that the United States should be its own carrier on the seas and enjoy the economic independence which only an adequate merchant marine would give it, but also that the American hemisphere as a whole should enjoy a like independence and self-sufficiency, if it is not to be drawn into the tangle of European affairs. Without such independence the whole question of our political unity and self-determination is very seriously clouded and complicated indeed.

Should Remove Legal Barriers.

"Moreover, we can develop no true or effective American policy without ships of our own—not ships of war, but ships of peace, carrying goods, and carrying much more: creating friendships and rendering indispensable services to all interests on this side the water. They must move constantly back and forth between the Americas. They are the only shuttles that can weave the delicate fabric of sympathy, comprehension, confidence, and mutual dependence in which we wish to clothe our policy of America for Americans.

"The task of building up an adequate merchant marine for America private capital must ultimately undertake and achieve, as it has undertaken and achieved every other like task amongst us in the past, with admirable enterprise, intelligence, and vigor; and it seems to me a manifest dictate of wisdom that we should promptly remove every legal obstacle that may stand in the way of this much to be desired revival of our old independence and should facilitate in every possible way the building, purchase, and American registration of ships.

Government Takes First Risk.

"But capital cannot accomplish this great task of a sudden. It must embark upon it by degrees, as the opportunities of trade develop. Something must be done at once; done to open routes and develop opportunities where they are as yet undeveloped; done to open the arteries of trade where the currents have not yet learned to run—especially between the two American continents, where they are, singularly enough, yet to be created and quickened; and it is evident that only the government can undertake such beginnings and assume the initial financial risks.

"When the risk has passed and private capital begins to find its way in sufficient abundance into these new channels, the government may withdraw. But it cannot omit to begin. It should take the first steps, and should take them at once. Our goods must not lie piled up at our ports and stored upon side tracks in freight cars which are daily needed on the roads; must not be left without means of transport to any foreign quarter. We must not await the permission of foreign ship owners and foreign governments to send them where we will.

More Pressing Each Day.

"With a view to meeting these pressing necessities of our commerce and availing ourselves at the earliest possible moment of the present unparalleled opportunity of linking the two Americas together in bonds of mutual interest and service, an opportunity which may never return again if we miss it now, proposals will be made to the present congress for the purchase or construction of ships to be owned and directed by the government similar to those made to the last congress, but modified in some essential particulars.

"I recommend these proposals to you for your prompt acceptance with the more confidence because every month that has elapsed since the former proposals were made has made the necessity for such action more and more manifestly imperative. That need was then foreseen; it is now acutely felt and everywhere realized by those for whom trade is waiting but who can find no conveyance for their goods.

"I am not so much interested in the particulars of the program as I am in taking immediate advantage of the great opportunity which awaits us if we will but act in this emergency. In this matter, as in all others, a spirit of common counsel should prevail, and out of it should come an early solution of this pressing problem.

CHANGE IN GOVERNMENT OF ISLAND POSSESSIONS

"There is another matter which seems to me to be very intimately associated with the question of national safety and preparation for defense. That is our policy toward the Philippines and the people of Porto Rico. Our treatment of them and their attitude toward us are manifestly of the first consequence in the development of our duties in the world and in getting a free hand to perform those duties.

"We must be free from every unnecessary burden or embarrassment, and there is no better way to be clear of embarrassment than to fulfill our promises and promote the interests of those dependent on us to the utmost.

"Bills for the alteration and reform of the government of the Philippines and for rendering fuller political justice to the people of Porto Rico were submitted to the Sixty-third congress. They will be submitted also to you. I need not particularize their details. You are most of you already familiar with them. But I do recommend them to your early adoption with the sincere conviction that there are few measures you could adopt which would more serviceably clear the way for the great policies by which we wish to make good, now and always, our right to lead in enterprises of peace and good will and economic and political freedom.

FINANCES OF NATION WILL SHOW A DEFICIT

"The plans for the armed forces of the nation which I have outlined, and for the general policy of adequate preparation for mobilization and defense, involve, of course, very large additional expenditures of money—expenditures which will considerably exceed the estimated revenues of the government.

"It is made my duty by law, whenever the estimates of expenditure exceed the estimates of revenue, to call the attention of the congress to the fact and suggest any means of meeting the deficiency that it may be wise or possible for me to suggest.

"I am ready to believe that it would be my duty to do so in any case, and I feel particularly bound to speak of the matter when it appears that the deficiency will have arisen directly out of the adoption by the congress of measures which I myself urge it to adopt. Allow me, therefore, to speak briefly of the present state of the treasury and of the fiscal problems which the next year will probably disclose.

Reduction in Treasury Balance.

"On the thirtieth of June last there was an available balance in the general fund of the treasury of $104,170,105. The total estimated receipts for the year 1916, on the assumption that the emergency revenue measure passed by the last congress will not be extended beyond its present limit, the thirty-first of December, 1915, and that the present duty of 1 cent per pound on sugar will be discontinued after the first of May, 1916, will be $670,365,500. The balance of June last and these estimated revenues come, therefore, to a grand total of $774,535,605.

"The total estimated disbursements for the present fiscal year, including twenty-five millions for the Panama canal, twelve millions for probable deficiency appropriations, and $50,000 for miscellaneous debt redemptions, will be $753,891,000; and the balance in the general fund of the treasury will be reduced to $20,644,605.

"The emergency revenue act, if continued beyond its present time limitation, would produce, during the half year then remaining, about forty-one millions. The duty of 1 cent per pound on sugar, if continued, would produce during the two months of the fiscal year remaining after the first of May, about fifteen millions. These two sums, amounting together to fifty-six millions, if added to the revenues of the second half of the fiscal year, would yield the treasury at the end of the year an available balance of $76,644,605.

Deficit Will Grow Rapidly.

"The additional revenues required to carry out the program of military and naval preparation of which I have spoken, would, as at present estimated, be for the fiscal year 1917, $93,800,000. Those figures, taken with the figures for the present fiscal year which I have already given, disclose our financial problem for the year 1917.

"Assuming that the taxes imposed by the emergency revenue act and the present duty on sugar are to be discontinued, and that the balance at the close of the present fiscal year will be only $20,644,605.78, that the disbursements for the Panama canal will again be about twenty-five millions, and that the additional expenditures for the army and navy are authorized by the congress, the deficit in the general fund of the treasury on the thirtieth of June, 1917, will be nearly two hundred and thirty-five millions.

Working Balance Necessary.

"To this sum at least fifty millions should be added to represent a safe working balance for the treasury, and twelve millions to include the usual deficiency estimates in 1917; and these additions would make a total deficit of some two hundred and ninety-seven millions.

"If the present taxes should be continued throughout this year and the next, however, there would be a balance in the treasury of some seventy-six and a half millions at the end of the present fiscal year, and a deficit at the end of the next year of only some fifty millions, or, reckoning in sixty-two millions for deficiency appropriations and a safe treasury balance at the end of the year, a total deficit of some one hundred and twelve millions.

"The obvious moral of the figures is that it is a plain counsel of prudence to continue all of the present taxes or their equivalents, and confine ourselves to the problem of providing one hundred and twelve millions of new revenue rather than two hundred and ninety-seven millions.

Opposed to Bond Issue.

"How shall we obtain the new revenue? We are frequently reminded that there are many millions of bonds which the treasury is authorized under existing law to sell to reimburse the sums paid out of current revenues for the construction of the Panama canal; and it is true that bonds to the amount of approximately $222,000,000 are now available for that purpose.

"Prior to 1913 $134,631,980 of these bonds had actually been sold to recoup the expenditures at the isthmus and now constitute a considerable item of the public debt. But I, for one, do not believe that the people of this country approve of postponing the payment of their bills.

"Borrowing money is shortsighted finance. It can be justified only when permanent things are to be accomplished which many generations will certainly benefit by and which it seems hardly fair that a single generation should pay for. The objects we are now proposing to spend money for cannot be so classified, except in the sense that everything wisely done may be said to be done in the interest of posterity as well as in our own. It seems to me a clear dictate of prudent statesmanship and frank finance that in what we are now, I hope, about to undertake we should pay as we go. The people of the country are entitled to know just what burdens of taxation they are to carry, and to know from the outset, now. The new bills should be paid by internal taxation.

Sources of More Income.

"To what sources, then, shall we turn? This is so peculiarly a question which the gentlemen of the house of representatives are expected under the constitution to propose an answer to that you will hardly expect me to do more than discuss it in very general terms. We should be following an almost universal example of modern governments if we were to draw the greater part or even the whole of the revenues we need from the income taxes.

"By somewhat lowering the present limits of exemption and the figure at which the surtax shall begin to be imposed, and by increasing, step by step throughout the present graduation, the surtax itself, the income taxes as at present apportioned would yield sums sufficient to balance the books of the treasury at the end of the fiscal year 1917 without anywhere making the burden unreasonably or oppressively heavy. The precise reckonings are fully and accurately set out in the report of the secretary of the treasury, which will be immediately laid before you.

Possible Duty on Luxury.

"And there are many additional sources of revenue which can justly be resorted to without hampering the industries of the country or putting any too great charge upon individual expenditure. A tax of 1 per cent per gallon on gasoline and naphtha would yield, at the present estimated production, $10,000,000; a tax of 50 cents per horse power on automobiles and internal explosion engines, $15,000,000; a stamp tax on bank checks, probably $18,000,000; a tax of 25 cents per ton on pig iron, $10,000,000; a tax of 25 cents per ton on fabricated iron and steel, probably $10,000,000. In a country of great industries like this it ought to be easy to distribute the burdens of taxation without making them anywhere bear too heavily or too exclusively upon any one set of persons or undertakings. What is clear is, that the industry of this generation should pay the bills of this generation.

At Peace with Nations.

"I have spoken to you today, gentlemen, upon a single theme, the thorough preparation of the nation to care for its own security and to make sure of entire freedom to play the impartial rôle in this hemisphere and in the world which we all believe to have been providentially assigned to it.

"I have had in my mind no thought of any immediate or particular danger arising out of our relations with other nations. We are at peace with all the nations of the world, and there is reason to hope that no question in controversy between this and other governments will lead to any serious breach of amicable relations, grave as some differences of attitude and policy have been and may yet turn out to be.

NATION'S GRAVEST PERIL COMES FROM WITHIN

"I am sorry to say that the gravest threats against our national peace and safety have been uttered within our own borders. There are citizens of the United States, I blush to admit, born under other flags but welcomed under our generous naturalization laws to the full freedom and opportunity of America, who have poured the poison of disloyalty into the very arteries of our national life; who have sought to bring the authority and good name of our government into contempt, to destroy our industries wherever they thought it effective for their vindictive purposes to strike at them, and to debase our politics to the uses of foreign intrigue.

"Their number is not great as compared with the whole number of those sturdy hosts by which our nation has been enriched in recent generations out of virile foreign stock; but it is great enough to have brought deep disgrace upon us and to have made it necessary that we should promptly make use of processes of law by which we may be purged of their corrupt distempers.

Nation Is Caught Unaware.

"America never witnessed anything like this before. It never dreamed it possible that men sworn into its own citizenship, men drawn out of great free stocks such as supplied some of the best and strongest elements of that little, but how heroic nation that in a high day of old staked its very life to free itself from every entanglement that had darkened the fortunes of the older nations and set up a new standard here—that men of such origins and such free choices of allegiance would ever turn in malign reaction against the government and people who had welcomed and nurtured them and seek to make this proud country once more a hotbed of European passion.

"A little while ago such a thing would have seemed incredible. Because it was incredible we made no preparation for it. We would have been almost ashamed to prepare for it, as if we were suspicious of ourselves, our own comrades and neighbors! But the ugly and incredible thing has actually come about and we are without adequate federal laws to deal with it. I urge you to enact such laws at the earliest possible moment and feel that in doing so I am urging you to do nothing less than save the honor and self-respect of the nation.

Plots to Destroy Property.

"Such creatures of passion, disloyalty, and anarchy must be crushed out. They are not many, but they are infinitely malignant, and the hand of our power should close over them at once. They have formed plots to destroy property; they have entered into conspiracies against the neutrality of the government; they have sought to pry into every confidential transaction of the government, in order to serve interests alien to our own. It is possible to deal with these things very effectually. I need not suggest the terms in which they may be dealt with.

"I wish that it could be said that only a few men, misled by mistaken sentiments of allegiance to the government under which they were born, had been guilty of disturbing the self-possession and misrepresenting the temper and principles of the country during these days of terrible war, when it would seem that every man who was truly an American would instinctively make it his duty and his pride to keep the scales of judgment even and prove himself a partisan of no nation but his own. But it cannot. There are some men among us and many resident abroad who, although born and bred in the United States and calling themselves Americans, have so forgotten themselves and their honor as citizens as to put their passionate sympathy with one or the other side in the great European conflict above their regard for the peace and dignity of the United States. They also preach and practice disloyalty.

"No laws, I suppose, can reach corruptions of the mind and heart; but I should not speak of others without also speaking of these and expressing the even deeper humiliation and scorn which every self-possessed and thoughtfully patriotic American must feel when he thinks of them and of the discredit they are daily bringing upon us.

RESOURCES OF COUNTRY SHOULD BE MOBILIZED

"While we speak of the preparation of the nation to make sure of her security and her effective power we must not fall into the patent error of supposing that her real strength comes from armaments and mere safeguards of written law. It comes, of course, from her people, their energy, their success in their undertakings, their free opportunity to use the natural resources of our great home land and of the lands outside our continental borders which look to us for protection, for encouragement, and for assistance in their development, from the organization and freedom and vitality of our economic life.

"The domestic questions which engaged the attention of the last congress are more vital to the nation in this its time of test than at any other time. We cannot adequately make ready for any trial of our strength unless we wisely and promptly direct the force of our laws into these all important fields of domestic action. A matter which it seems to me we should have very much at heart is the creation of the right instrumentalities by which to mobilize our economic resources in any time of national necessity.

"I take it for granted that I do not need your authority to call into systematic consultation with the directing officers of the army and navy men of recognized leadership and ability from among our citizens who are thoroughly familiar, for example, with the transportation facilities of the country and therefore competent to advise how they may be coördinated when the need arises, those who can suggest the best way in which to bring about prompt coöperation among the manufacturers of the country, should it be necessary, and those who could assist to bring the technical skill of the country to the aid of the government in the solution of particular problems of defense.

Small Fund Is Only Need.

"I only hope that if I should find it feasible to constitute such an advisory body the congress would be willing to vote the small sum of money that would be needed to defray the expenses that would probably be necessary to give it the clerical and administrative machinery with which to do serviceable work.

"What is more important is that the industries and resources of the country should be available and ready for mobilization. It is the more imperatively necessary, therefore, that we should promptly devise means for doing what we have not yet done; that we should give intelligent federal aid and stimulation to industrial and vocational education, as we have long done in the large field of our agricultural industry; that, at the same time that we safeguard and conserve the natural resources of the country we should put them at the disposal of those who will use them promptly and intelligently, as was sought to be done in the admirable bills submitted to the last congress from its committees on the public lands, bills which I earnestly recommend in principle to your consideration; that we should put into early operation some provision for rural credits which will add to the extensive borrowing facilities already afforded the farmer by the reserve bank act adequate instrumentalities by which long credits may be obtained on land mortgages, and that we should study more carefully than they have hitherto been studied the right adaptation of our economic arrangements to changing conditions.

Conditions Are Changing.

"Many conditions about which we have repeatedly legislated are being altered from decade to decade, it is evident, under our very eyes, and are likely to change even more rapidly and more radically in the days immediately ahead of us, when peace has returned to the world and the nations of Europe, once more take up their tasks of commerce and industry with the energy of those who must bestir themselves to build anew.

"Just what these changes will be no one can certainly foresee or confidently predict. There are no calculable, because no stable, elements in the problem. The most we can do is to make certain that we have the necessary instrumentalities of information constantly at our service so that we may be sure that we know exactly what we are dealing with when we come to act, if it should be necessary to act at all.

"We must first certainly know what it is that we are seeking to adapt ourselves to. I may ask the privilege of addressing you more at length on this important matter a little later in your session.

Transportation a Problem.

"In the meantime may I make this suggestion? The transportation problem is an exceedingly serious and pressing one in this country. There has from time to time of late been reason to fear that our railroads would not much longer be able to cope with it successfully as at present equipped and coördinated. I suggest that it would be wise to provide for a commission of inquiry to ascertain by a thorough canvass of the whole question whether our laws as at present framed and administered are as serviceable as they might be in the solution of the problem. It is obviously a problem that lies at the very foundation of our efficiency as a people. Such an inquiry ought to draw out every circumstance and opinion worth considering and we need to know all sides of the matter if we mean to do anything in the field of federal legislation.

"The question is not what should we undo. It is whether there is anything else we can do that would supply us with effective means, in the very process of regulation, for bettering the conditions under which the railroads are operated and for making them more useful servants of the country as a whole. It seems to me that it might be the part of wisdom, therefore, before further legislation in this field is attempted, to look at the whole problem of coördination and efficiency in the full light of a fresh assessment of circumstance and opinion as a guide to dealing with the several parts of it.

"For what we are seeking now, what in my mind is the single thought of this message, is national efficiency and security. We serve a great nation. We should serve it in the spirit of its peculiar genius. It is the genius of common men for self-government, industry, justice, liberty, and peace. We should see to it that it lacks no instrument, no facility or vigor of law, to make it sufficient to play its part with energy, safety, and assured success. In this we are no partisans but heralds and prophets of a new age."

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PAINTED ROSE ROMANCE LEADS TO NEAR TRAGEDY

But Charles Herrman Still Has a Chance to Win Fair Lady —If He Lives.

The rose in this romance was a painted one, and its honeymoon a jack o' lantern. Charles Hermann pursued the luminary of the wedding month with the neurasthenic fear of a tantalus tormenting his heart.

"You'll never marry me," he said. "If we were in front of the preacher with the license I believe you'd turn and laugh in my face."

Which gives some insight into the faint heart of Charles Hermann, which never won fair lady. As for Miss Bertha Davis she had dropped the mirages of Bohemia below the horizon of early youth, and entered the respectable estate of a spinster artist, not famous, but making her palette pay her way.

Met a Year Ago.

They met a year ago, and Hermann, who was a well to do liquor dealer, after the preliminary maneuvers of approach, proposed marriage. They had great dreams of a place in the country, where she, free of the grinding necessity of making art pay, could begin to do something which the proletariat might overlook and posterity gape at. But first Charles Hermann was to assert himself, cast off his morbid blue devils, and give up the drink.

In her efforts to school him out of his whims, Miss Davis refused to give him the painting of a rose, which he greatly admired and repeatedly begged for. Their only quarrels concerned this painting and his habits. Finally it became a bargain that he should have it when he had controlled his craving for liquor.

Walk All Night.

One night last August he called on Miss Davis and told her that he had drunk thirty bottles of beer. To this he added some brandy and they went out to walk off his blues. They walked all night.

Then he proposed, was accepted, and they were to be married that day. As Mr. Hermann was leaving Miss Davis at her home, 2839 North Clark street, he pulled out a revolver and shot her, the bullet taking effect in her hip.

Never Saw Him Again.

Miss Davis never saw him afterwards. She recovered slowly, and he called once or twice on the telephone to ask if he could call.

"If you bring some one with you to protect me," was Miss Davis' invariable answer. The last time he called was Monday night.

"You don't want to see me again, do you?" he asked.

And without waiting for a reply he hung up the receiver.

Tries to End His Life.

Yesterday Mr. Hermann in his home at 2685 Mildred avenue put a revolver in his mouth and sent a bullet into his brain.

"He's got a fighting chance, that's all," said Dr. A. H. Peterson last night.

Miss Davis had just returned from a moving picture theater when a TRIBUNE reporter saw her last night. She dropped into a chair and cried.

"I had just today abandoned the cane which I had to use after he wounded me. Tomorrow I was going to send him the painting of the rose he had begged me for. It will always hang here now—unless—do you think he possibly can recover?"

Her Love Tangle Gets Her Kidnaped.

MISS LENA MACALUSO
GASPER SANTANGELO

A ROMANCE of Italy popped up in the Italian quarter yesterday when four men kidnaped Miss Lena Macaluso, 16 years old, and bore her off in a taxicab. Samuel Clescia, said to be one of the kidnapers, was arrested some time later and the police are looking for his brother Angelo, who is declared to be the romantic swain in love with Lena who planned the coup. Another brother, Joseph, and a man called "Tony" also are sought. The report to the police was made by Gasper Santangelo, a shoemaker, who is to marry Lena on Christmas. The girl and her mother had just left their home near Townsend and Hobbie streets when one of the kidnapers prevented the mother's screams while the others bore off the girl. She said she was driven to a flat near the Dearborn station, where she escaped Clescia by leaving her coat in his grasp after she had slipped out of it, and returned home.

QUAKE SHAKES TOWNS ALONG THE MISSISSIPPI

Slight Temblor Is Felt at Various Places Over District 200 Miles in Extent.

Cairo, Ill., Dec. 7.—A severe earthquake, which was felt along both sides of the Mississippi river for a distance of 200 miles and east as far as Paducah, Ky., was recorded here at 12:45 p. m. today.

The apparent direction of the vibration was north and south. As far as reported, no damage was done, though throughout the affected district houses trembled.

The tremor here lasted fifteen to twenty seconds, but the seismograph at St. Louis university recorded a series of shocks extending for more than sixteen minutes.

Order Trains to Run Slowly.

Cape Girardeau, Mo., Dec. 7.—An earth shock which seemed to last a minute was felt here at 12:50 p. m. Houses were shaken. Immediately after the shock was felt division officials of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad sent orders to trainmen between Hayti, Mo., and Turrell, Ark., to run slowly and cautiously, as there was fear that the tracks might have been damaged by the tremor.

That district was once the center of an earth disturbance when the lands sank. In Cape Girardeau guests ran from restaurants and hotel dining rooms when the quake occurred.

Not Believed Widespread.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 7.—Earthquake shocks extending over sixteen minutes were recorded this afternoon on the seismograph of St. Louis university. For the last twenty-four hours at the university the seismograph has been restless.

Buildings Rocked in Kentucky.

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 7.—An earthquake shock of several seconds' duration at 12:45 p. m. today rocked buildings in Paducah and vicinity. In some houses pictures were shaken from walls and other objects knocked down. No material damage has been reported.

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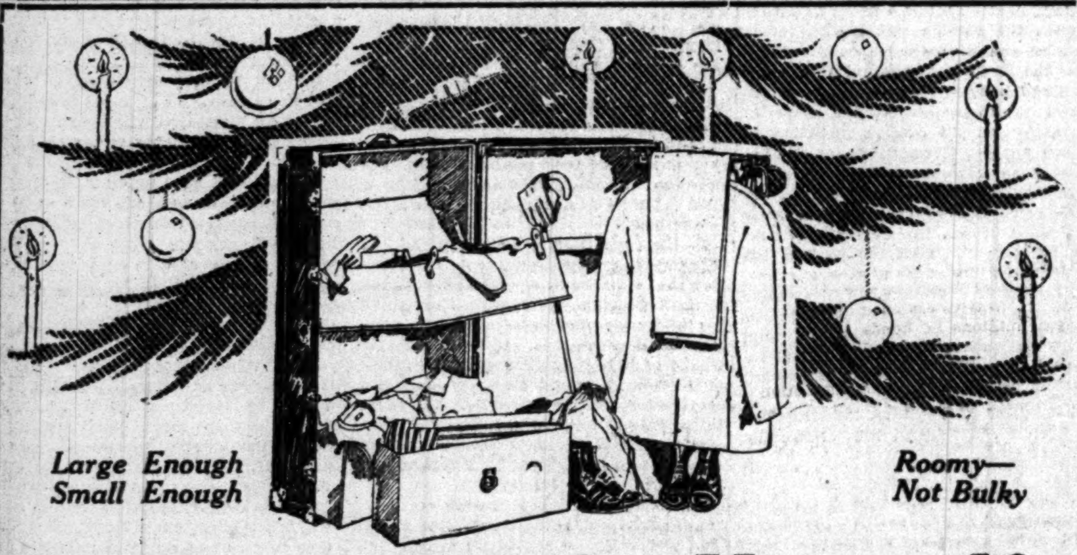

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Genuine Walrus Gladstone Bags, **$25.**
Genuine Cowhide Gladstone Bags, **$16.**
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Fitted Leather Toilet Roll, 13 pieces with hanger; extraordinary value, **$5.**
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Hub Special Cowhide Suit Case, specially priced, **$10.**
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Military Brushes, **$1** to **$7.50.**
Pocket Cases, Card Cases, and Pass Books, large variety, **50c** to **$5.**
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"The Village Blacksmith Shop"	for $12—less 20%
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"The Land of the Midnight Sun"	for $20—less 20%
"Midnight in Norway"	for $12—less 20%

—and other paintings at other prices up to $500—less 20%.

Scarcely could one find—at a moderate price—a more acceptable gift than a "Sether" painting, for Sether has built his fame with "that art which binds the universe." *Ninth floor.*

Mandel Brothers
The Christmas Store Beautiful

"LOOKS LIKE SANTA'S PARLOR"—so spoke a lady visiting our art gift shop on the sixth floor last Saturday—and she meant every word—at least, she followed the statement with very extensive purchases.

Among the gift articles she selected were classic marbles and bronzes, and Ruskin pottery, a glorious triumph in a wonderful art.

What if mother, wife, daughter or sister has no bird—give her one of these smart cages and send a bird along.

Wicker bird cages at 2.95

—"Vogue" style

—in natural or white enameled finish and 20 in. high—such cages as are retailed regularly at 4.75—today only are they to be priced 2.95. Also, in this sale are a number of brass cages at 2.95. *Sixth floor.*

Wicker bird cages, 76-in. stand—limited lot—7.50

Brass jardinieres—ball feet. 1.25.
Waste paper baskets, white enamel or powdered gold finish, 1.55.

H'd-decorated aquariums

—new "flat" shape

—13-in.; no two alike—conventional and floral decorations—such aquariums are usually sold at $8 and $10

—special at $5

Mahogany trays; at $1 & 1.50.
Humidors; with cedar lining and a vapor pad; at 1.95.
Mahogany smoking stand; statuary bronze fittings; 1.95. *Sixth floor.*

Enameled, decorated art tinware

—a new feature

—artistic pieces designed by some of America's foremost decorators. Included are quaintly shaped urns.

Novel fruit baskets, flower pots, trays,
waste baskets, match safes, etc.; prices ranging from 75c to 37.50. *Sixth floor.*

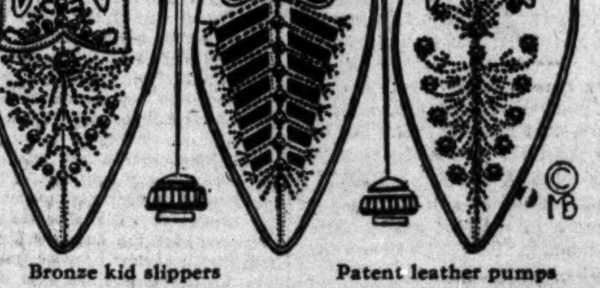
Mandel Brothers
The Christmas Store Beautiful

Many smart gifts to be chosen from our impressive collections of

women's evening slippers

at $4 at $5 at $6 at $7

Beaded slippers of kidskin; dull or patent strap slippers; black or white satin beaded slippers; Louis XV. heels; at $4.



Bronze kid slippers
beaded open-work model; three-button; dull beaded kid open-work slippers; black or white satin beaded; patent leather slippers—brocaded backs; $5.

Patent leather pumps
with long vamps; dull or patent 5-button beaded slippers; gold or silver cloth opera slippers—the heels covered with gold or silver cloth; any of these for $6.

Beaded bronze slippers; mat or white kid slippers, open work instep; bronze kid or white kid slippers, 5-strap open-work; beaded; Louis Cuban wooden heel; these models, $7. *First floor.*

Mandel Brothers
The Christmas Store Beautiful

Gifts that good taste suggests and value recommends:

Remarkably small prices on solid gold jewelry

Solid gold cameo brooches, in coral, brown or pink shell, and wedgewood; 3.95 to $60.

Solid gold lavallieres, in coral, brown or pink shell, and wedgewood; 3.95 to $30.

Rock crystal jewelry exclusively here

—it is hand-carved, and painted in beautiful colors; fancy solid gold mountings; rock crystal brooches at 6.50 to $30; scarf pins at $6 to 7.50. *First floor.*

Solid gold lavallieres; set with pearls, amethysts, sapphires and diamonds; 3.95 to 10.50.

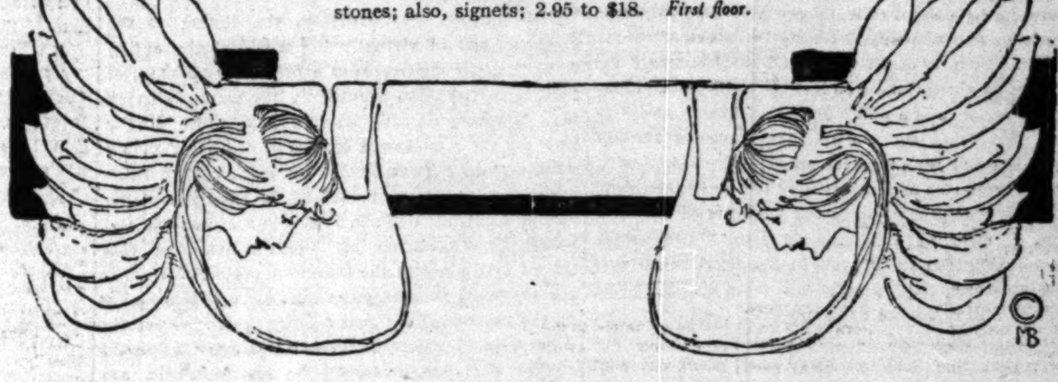
New green gold brooches; plain, or set with colored stones, pearls and diamonds; 3.50 to $20.

Solid gold lingerie clasps; assorted sizes & shapes; 1.25 to $5.
Solid gold bracelets: nethersole or flexible; plain, engraved or faceted; 3.50 to $20.

Solid gold thimbles at 3.50 to $5

Solid gold beads, 4.50 to $15 string

Solid gold hat pins, single or in pairs; large assortment; at 75c to $9.
Large assortment of scarf pins; cameo and fancy stone set; at $1 to $15.
Solid gold cuff links, some of them diamond set; the prices, 1.85 to $10.
Solid gold tie clasps; some engraved, some diamond set; prices 75c to $10.
Solid gold cigar cutters, $4 to 16.50. Solid gold pocket knives, 3.50 to $15.50.
Solid gold and platinum waldemar chains; some set with pearls; $5 to $75.
Wonderful assortment of coral, shell and stone cameo rings at 2.95 to $30.
Solid gold stone set rings; cluster or single stones; also, signets; 2.95 to $18. *First floor.*



Cross fox sets at 97.50—at Mandel's

—double fur collar in animal style; the muff in any of several new models; one set here illustrated.

Other cross fox sets; select quality and splendid color; exceptional value at $135.

Dyed blue fox sets for $100

Battleship gray fox sets; with new style muff; $75.

New fox sets in baum marten shade, priced at $75.

Red fox sets—extra fine color; large scarf, and the muff in round style; $60 set. *Fifth floor*

Mandel Brothers
—Where costuming is held an art—

Street and afternoon frocks at savings of half or more

—two extraordinary purchases merged in a matchless sale

Velveteen, charmeuse, crepe meteor, taffeta and crepe de chine dresses— **15.75**

The very newest styles, the most desirable fabrics and combinations, smart trimming touches of lace or fur—representative models here pictured. Many with yoke and sleeves of georgette or chiffon. *Fourth floor.*

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Daily		Sunday	
1908	171,032	1908	296,816
1909	174,074	1909	300,009
1910	234,111	1910	357,845
1911	236,226	1911	363,465
1912	246,061	1912	366,977
1913	259,958	1913	392,664
1914	318,761	1914	524,800
*1915	**354,520**	*1915	**558,396**
Growth in 7 years	183,488	Growth in 7 years	261,580

*Average for six months ending Sept. 30, 1915.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1915.

"Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."
—Stephen Decatur.

THE MESSAGE.

The message opens, significantly we must assume, with a discussion of Pan-Americanism. We are reminded that "the states of America have become conscious of a new and more vital community of interest and moral partnership in affairs, more clearly conscious of the many common sympathies and interests and duties which bid them stand together." Reviewing somewhat idealistically the birth and course of the Monroe Doctrine, it is asserted that "we retain unabated the spirit that has inspired us throughout the whole life of our government and which was so frankly put into words by President Monroe." "We still mean," declares the president, "always to make a common cause of national independence and of political liberty in America."

This taken by itself we should unhesitatingly interpret as a reiteration of the full force of the Monroe Doctrine, and a polite but unambiguous notice to the world that the United States accepts its full responsibility for its maintenance.

We trust this impression need not be weakened by the paragraphs relating to our handling of the Mexican problem, by which the president illustrates his declaration that our interest in the independence and liberal government of American states does not cloak the will to dominate or shape their destinies. And we are encouraged in our interpretation by the fact that the president goes on to point out that "the whole matter of drawing the Americas together in bonds of honorable partnership and mutual advantage" is a necessary background or basis for a proper consideration of the problem of national defense.

This, if we are to accept it as plain men, means that in the president's view the United States should be able to defend and enforce the Monroe Doctrine and to support an "honorable partnership" of the Americas with arms if necessary. This position would seem to be restated and summarized when he says:

> Conquest and dominion are not in our reckoning, or agreeable to our principles. But just because we demand unmolested development and the undisturbed government of our own lives upon our own principles of right and liberty we resent, from whatever quarter it may come, the aggression we ourselves will not practice. We insist upon security in prosecuting our self-chosen lines of national development. We do more than that. We demand it also for others. . . . From the first we have made common cause with all partisans of liberty on this side the sea, and have deemed it as important that our neighbors should be free from all outside domination as that we ourselves should be; have set America aside as a whole for the uses of independent nations and political freemen.

If this is anything but idealistic rhetoric it means that the United States will fight any nation that attempts aggression against any of the American states.

We believe the American people are in accord with this position and would support it at the expense of war, even a foreign war, which it necessarily implies, if the aggression were committed in such guise as to touch our self-respect or arouse our definite concern. But if this is true of us it behooves our statesmen to face fully the problem it presents and the responsibilities it involves. The weakness and danger of our situation has been and is, as THE TRIBUNE has tried unremittingly to impress upon the American public and its leaders, that we cherish in this respect an ideal and a policy which we do not make ready to support. It is pleasing to our self-esteem to conceive of ourselves as the lofty and puissant guardians of national independence and civil liberty in the western hemisphere. But we have shirked the expense even of thought upon what our position must involve if it is not to be a dangerous fraud, to say nothing of our shirking the expense of maintaining it in terms of money and military power.

In this situation, to be frank, Mr. Wilson in unfortunate degree remains, if we are to judge as we must by his proposals to meet the heavy responsibilities and grave possibilities of the policy he declares. It is culpably ignorant or disingenuous to propose the defense of two continents from aggression and to follow it with the inexpert and inadequate program of military and naval increase which has been put forth by the war department and which Mr. Wilson sketches briefly in his message. THE TRIBUNE has discussed these plans, especially as they affect the army, and will continue to do so as they are taken up in congress, but it will say here that if the large outlines of the president's policy are to be filled in with vigor and practical skill that task must be performed by men whose reluctance to think thoroughly on war and its necessities is a good deal less than that shown by the president.

There should be no hesitation or delay on this critical issue. The president asserts a vast responsibility, though an inspiring one. He fails flatly to present a program adequate to realize and support it.

That failure should be challenged at once. If we give forth to the world and reassert to ourselves any such purpose as the president declares and adopt no better measures than he proposes to maintain that purpose we invite the fate of the weakling braggart and we deserve it.

The proposals of the message as to merchant marine legislation, Philippine government, taxation to meet revenue deficit, agricultural aid, conservation, etc., are only tentatively outlined, and may be discussed more intelligibly when developed fully in congress. It is to be noted at this point, however, that any reference to revision of the tariff to meet conditions threatened by the war or its cessation is conspicuous by its absence. No reference to a tariff commission is to be found unless it be inferred from the assertion that "the most we can do is to make certain that we have the necessary instrumentalities of information constantly at our service."

No mention is made of modifications of the laws affecting business, except a cryptic paragraph respecting the railroads. It is a pity that Mr. Wilson, with his great command of felicitous expression, does not permit himself plain speech at this point. He asserts what has been painfully evident to us all for some time, that "the transportation problem is an exceedingly serious and pressing one in this country," and that "there has from time to time of late been reason to fear that our railroads would not much longer be able to cope with it successfully as at present equipped and coördinated." A commission of inquiry is recommended to ascertain "by a thorough canvass of the whole question whether our laws as at present framed and administered are as serviceable as they might be in the solution of the problem."

Lest this be taken to imply that a weakening of the powers of regulation is favored, the message affirms the policy, but suggests an inquiry whether "there is anything else we can do that would supply us with effective means, in the very process of regulation, for bettering the conditions under which the railroads are operated and for making them more useful servants of the country as a whole."

We cannot pretend to reduce this supercautious remark to the concrete, but we may hope perhaps that it indicates a disposition to develop a more intelligent, far seeing, and constructive policy toward our transportation agencies than has been evolved thus far. It has seemed obvious for some time to THE TRIBUNE that in the evolution of our regulatory system we have been narrow, myopic, and haphazard, and that for the sake of the country a larger, wiser view is acutely needed. If the president favors an attempt to consider and formulate a well rounded constructive policy for the development and the stabilized prosperity—hence public efficiency—of our carriers he will have the hearty support of all thinking Americans.

The message also expresses the feeling of the president and of virtually the whole of the nation respecting the demoralizing expressions of fanatical foreign partisanship aroused by the war. We may say, however, on this subject that while drastic laws for the punishment of acts of disloyalty should most certainly be enacted, that neither such legislation nor the mere preaching of loyalty will accomplish much. What is needed is a systematic and perennial stimulation of Americanism, and this should take place in the formative period of life. If the president thought more candidly and thoroughly on the problem of national defense, which is basically a question of organized national character, he would realize that his protests, like his proposals, are trivial and illusory, and the chief feature of his message to this critical, and, we hope, epoch making, congress would be a declaration for universal citizen service in the army of the republic.

AS TO STAGGERING CHICAGO.

Bill the Magnificent says that he and the civil service commission will stagger humanity when they reveal what has been going on in the city hall and will thereby confound the enemies of the people who want the civil service commissioners removed. There are folk who think that the commission itself is the worst thing that is going on in the city hall, but, of course, they may be mistaken.

The only thing we care to suggest to his honor the mayor is that he has a feeble idea of what it takes to stagger humanity in these parts. If folk found that the city hall was being taken down at night to furnish building material for politicians' residences they might bat an eye, but even then as to staggers there would not be a totter.

This is a case hardened community and if Bill the Big is to make it grope around in dismay he is going to be a real Vesuvius in the way of distributing sensations.

Editorial of the Day

ORATORY AND THE JURY.

[From the National Corporation Reporter.]

The unanimous jury is the first obstacle to an intelligent system of criminal procedure. The number of cases in which one or two jurors block the wheels of justice, where the evidence abundantly proves the guilt of the defendant in a criminal case, is legion. If we permitted the jury to return a verdict by a two-thirds vote, as is done in Australia, after a certain number of hours of deliberation, mistrials would vanish. The evils of the unanimous verdict are largely eliminated in England by the judge being allowed to express his opinion of the evidence, the high character of the judges and the Englishman's respect for constituted authority.

Both English and American criminal procedure are hampered and frequently balked by the prohibition of inquiry of the person accused of crime as to his possible connection with it. There is no reason for allowing a guilty man to hide himself behind a veil of silence, forbidding any allusion, even, to his failure to testify, and yet permitting him to testify in his own behalf, if he see fit to chance the pitfalls of cross-examination. The continental system of examining persons accused of crime, in secret, is not to be commended; but no innocent person could be injured by an examination in the presence of his counsel and, if he so desired, of his friends. Such a proceeding would be infinitely superior to the illegal "third degree" to which the police of this country subject some criminals.

Finally, and most important of all, the whole attitude of the courts, and especially the reviewing courts, from which the trial courts take their color, must change. Where twelve men taken from the walks of private life say that a defendant has committed a crime and the trial judge confirms their judgment it falls little short of crime for a reviewing court to set the verdict and judgment aside because of an erroneous instruction, the admission of dubious evidence, or the exclusion of proper evidence, where the error could not reasonably have affected the result. In short, a reviewing court should practically confine its inquiries to one point, and that is: Was the prisoner clearly shown to be guilty? Once the upper court gives out this as its guiding principle the trial judges will be more than willing to discharge their duties on the same principles of common sense which direct them in their everyday affairs.

Of course the miseries of the juries, so feelingly described by the TRIBUNE writer, are a consequence of this foolish tangle of absurdities. If the lawyers knew that the judge at the end of their turgid rhetoric would sum up the evidence and tell the jury what their verdict ought to be, and that a reviewing court would not disturb it if clearly right, there would be an end of the two days' siege of oratory."

A LINE O'TYPE OR TWO.

Motto: Hew to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

"I WAS passing the public library in Cedar Rapids," writes D. B. D., "and saw chiseled on it the name SHAKSPERE. An editorial in the W. G. N. refers to him as SHAKSPEARE, while in an advertisement in the same paper he appears as SHAKESPEARE. Will you straighten this out for me?"

WITH pleasure, so far as we can. The Cedar Rapids version is plainly the result of an effort to save stone-cutting. Advertisers in the Trib get their money's worth. The editorial version is proof room "style," if you will pardon the quotes. We always write it Shakespeare, but rather than get into a row with the p. r. we let him indulge his whimsy.

Keep Cool and Remember that It Takes All Kinds of People, Etc.

Sir: I never knew until lately that all people do not think as much of the Line as I do. I was m. or l. het up about it. I am moving to Chicago to be near the Line. C. M.

AS is well known, the labor of conducting a colyum is Herculean, and one would crack under the strain were it not for little things that sustain and soothe. Frince, a gentleman writes in to say that we omitted the second "a" from "Argonauts," and that this error occurred three times in one column.

The Argonuts of 1854.

(From Campbell's "Lives of the Lord Chancellors.")

On account of a very foolish address, carried over by the Lord Mayor and merchants of London to Louis Napoleon, after the *coup d'état* which made him Emperor, and a mischievous, as well as ludicrous, deputation of Quakers, who, under pretense of being peacemongers, went to pay homage to the Emperor Nicholas at St. Petersburgh, and to persuade him that he might do what he liked with Turkey, without any danger of English interference, I laid a bill on the table of the House of Lords to prohibit the subjects of this country from having any intercourse with foreign governments in public affairs, unless with the sanction of the Crown. I had as a *precedent* an Act of the American Congress, and for the *principle* I had the high authority of Mr. Burke, in denouncing as treasonable the mission by Mr. Fox of Mr. Adair, to the Empress Catherine, at the time of the Russian armament.

AS a student of American history, you of course know which act of congress is referred to in the foregoing.

WE rather fancy the term "peacemongers," don't you?

PECULIARITIES OF LIFE IN EVANSTON.

[From the News-Index.]

Wanted—Room for married couple, near Davis-st.; breakfast and dinners for lady.

Experienced Dressmaker, Miss Kingsrod; come to your house and take home; does all kinds dresses and nightgowns.

"JUST suppose," supposes the King of Greece, "that the Germans were in a position to demand that your country concede the use of Boston or Seattle as the base of an attack on Canada. What would you say?" The answer probably is that if we had pledged our word to support Canada in case it was attacked we should probably keep our word, regardless of the consequences.

A CASE OF OMER NODDING.

[Notice to the Auto Owners' Fire Protective Exchange.]

Kindly sign and detach and mail to me the form of proxy given below and in case you are not present at said meeting I will cast your vote for those persons whom will work for the best interests of the Exchange.

FRANK O. OMER, Attorney in Fact.

"WIFE of Nineteen Discusses Divorce Action." —Cleveland Leader.

She, we should say, is qualified.

The Situation Remains Unchanged.

(Letter of John Hay, Ambassador to England, to Senator Henry Cabot Lodge.)

London, April 5, 1898.

I do not know whether you especially value the friendship and sympathy of this country [England]. I think it important and desirable in the present state of things, as it is the only European country whose sympathies are not openly against us. We will not waste time in discussing whether the origin of this feeling is wholly selfish or not. Its existence is beyond question. I find it wherever I go—not only in the press but in private conversation. * * * If we wanted it—which, of course, we do not—we could have the practical assistance of the British navy—on the *do ut des* principle, naturally.

"THE smoke nuisance," says Ald. (Doc.) Nance, "is responsible for an annual financial loss of $17,600,000, or $8 per capita." Not to mention the annual loss of hair from our caput.

What Have YOU Just Found Out?

Sir: I've learned something, too. Since I was married I have found out that mice are not baby rats. When I told this to a friend, who is a graduate of Radcliffe (I believe you are interested in recommendations for the Brightest Girls' college) she said she had been teaching her Sunday school class that kine are pigs. HELEN.

"FOR a red nose," advises Lillian Russell, "try drinking plenty of water—three pints between each meal." The only way to accomplish this seemingly impossible feat is to lie prone on the back.

THE MICHIGAN MUSE.

[From the Berrien County Record.]

The sun never shone on a village more fair
Than beautiful, peerless old Galien.
There's life in the kiss of her purified air,
Than Galien, prolific, dear Galien.

Her sons are all sturdy, so noble and bright,
Her beautiful daughters are just about right,
And her babes, God bless them, are an endless delight,
That crop never fails here in Galien.

Our homes are alight with a halo of love
In Galien, contented dear Galien.
We bask in the smile of the heavens above,
No clouds ever darken bright Galien.

Our grain waves in billows of gold in the sun,
The fruits of our orchards are equalled by none,
And the pumpkins, lots of them weigh most a ton,
We challenge the world here in Galien.

Our girls are sweet models of maidenly grace,
In this modern Eden of Galien.
They are perfect in figure, and lovely in face
That's just what they are here in Galien.

"AH, moi chere."—W. G. N.

As we said, a knowledge of French is necessary if one would read the daily papers understandingly.

Very Inconsiderate.

Sir: One of the patrons of the Symphony concerts was telling the chief usher that she had left her ticket home in the dark. She might have left one light burning, don't you think? H. S. S.

SOME railroads—perhaps you have some of their stock—are more in need of galvanization than of electrification.

Chicago Immortals.

Wickett, Walker, and Wegg,
A niche for this firm I beg.
If room there be
Admit these three,
Wickett, Walker, and Wegg.

C.

"THE interview with the king took place in his personal residence."

DOES his majesty maintain——?

BUT you know what is meant. B. L. T.

How to Keep Well. By Dr. W. A. Evans

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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PHYSICAL EXAMINATION.

THIS is physical examination day. The managers of the Christmas Seal campaign have asked their friends to call attention on this one day at least to the need of systematic periodic physical examinations. I have done this more than once, and I am glad to do it again.

The reason for the interest of the Christmas Seal people is that they want consumption diagnosed earlier. They know that the average person who comes to their attention has had consumption more than a year and very many of them lost their chance of getting well before they began actively to hunt for help.

The fact is that a very large portion of the people with consumption do not know that they have the disease until their chance of getting well has been lost. Whenever a complete examination of a large group of men has been made it has always been found that several suffering from consumption were not aware of the disease.

People judge of disease by symptoms and of health by lack of symptoms of disease. Disease talks by symptoms and that is the only means it has of communicating with the man whose mind is engaged with his business or the woman who is busy with her home. As a matter of fact, symptoms is a very faulty method of judging of disease or health. Some people have a great deal of disease and no symptoms, and others have a great many symptoms and no disease.

The doctor who treats the symptoms of every patient who comes to him for symptoms will be constantly pouring medicine into gullets and the Christian Scientist who follows the same policy will be constantly pouring into ears words. On the other hand, a great many people in need of physical help will not even know of their needs.

The plan of physical examination is as follows: Once a year, or at some other interval, a man has himself thoroughly examined regardless of whether he has symptoms or not. The examination covers his habits as well as his physical examination. If he be found sick or below par physically, the needed treatment is recommended. If faulty habits are discovered, changes are recommended.

The advice is How to Live and Keep Well, or, and Get Well. If the man does not choose to accept the advice that is his business.

This proposal is not new. A good sized minority of those who read this statement are already following the plan. To them it is no novelty. The majority of the people are on the old, the last century, basis. Among those who have gone on the new basis are several groups of sufficient size to form the basis of statistics. I will not give the results in this column, but if anybody wants to know where they can be found, a letter with stamped envelope for reply will bring the information.

PREVENTION OF MALARIA.

A. E. C., health officer Illinois Central railroad, writes: "I notice your comments in THE TRIBUNE on 'Malaria.' You do not say anything on the 'Prevention of Malaria.' For the last two years we have been giving our laborers who were working in low, marshy districts three grains of quinine each night, and this caused a decrease in malaria cases of over 90 per cent. Indeed, it is stated that the only cases our surgeons treated were those where the foreman failed to carry out our instructions. If all had followed our instructions it might be that we would have wiped it out. When we had our severe washout from Hammond to New Orleans this fall, and to repair same put 4,000 men to work with water and marshes on every hand, I personally went there and distributed 10,000 six grain capsules of quinine, giving twelve grains twice a week, and so far as I know now we have had practically no sickness. The chief surgeon can give you the exact number of cases. I consider this a very valuable point for all employers of labor where such are compelled to work in low, marshy districts. It is an economic question deserving attention."

REPLY.

This method has proven very successful in Italy. I am sure other corporations will be glad to hear of your success with it.

BADLY ADVISED.

Mrs. A. E. C. writes: "1. My 4 month old boy has not had a natural bowel movement for six weeks. My physician tells me constipation in infants is a good sign and for me to give him enema every twenty-four to thirty hours.

"2. He is breast fed. Doctor says it isn't necessary for me to follow a special diet. I eat fruit in moderation. What is your advice?

"3. My baby has 'colicky' pains almost every day. Do you think outdoor sleeping causes this? What is a remedy?"

REPLY.

1. Bad advice. Don't follow it.
2. Eat fruit very freely. Eat vegetables. Drink water freely. Give the baby water to drink and if necessary orange juice or even prune juice. As between orange juice and enemas choose the former.
3. No. If you will exercise more and drink more water your milk will be less rich, whereupon the baby will have less colic.

CAUSED BY INFECTION.

L. E. G. writes: "Am a young lady 17 years of age and would like to know the cause of a cracking noise in the ankle joints while walking, which sometimes causes a soreness in the foot."

REPLY.

You have an inflammation of the joint as the result of infection with bacteria. The bacteria got into your body at some point distant from your ankle. The inflammation may have been very mild. Massage, manipulation, and use of the joint will help you some. The condition is not serious.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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GEN. JOFFRE'S appointment to the supreme command of all France's armies, both at home and abroad, save in Morocco, has been forced upon President Poincaré, but would not have been possible without the loyal and generous support of Joffre's old comrade and brother in arms, the veteran Gen. Gallieni, now minister of war.

The appointment has been vigorously advocated for at least twelve months past, but until the recent reorganization of the cabinet it encountered violent opposition on the part of Poincaré and of the civilian minister of war, Millerand, as well as other members of the Viviani cabinet, who did not enjoy the curtailment of what they regarded as their prerogatives.

Thanks to the powers with which Joffre has now been invested, it will no longer be possible for either the president or the cabinet to assign to new commands generals who have been shelved by Gen. Joffre on the ground of incompetency, disobedience, lack of vigor, or, what is worst of all in military matters, persistent ill luck.

Joffre had twice shelved Gen. Sarrail for failure to carry out orders and for subjecting the forces under his command to needless reverses, which could have been averted. But in spite thereof Sarrail was subsequently appointed by Premier Viviani and the ultra-radical element of the cabinet to direct the operations of the French forces on the Gallipoli peninsula and in the Balkans, not because of his military merits, but solely because of his ultra-radical views and affiliations in politics. I could cite a score of other similar instances through which disciplinary measures of Joffre were practically nullified by the action of the cabinet.

The president was also greatly to blame in these matters, for after Gen. d'Anrade had been three times deprived of his command on the eastern front by Joffre for inefficiency and each time assigned to another one by Minister of War Millerand in deference to the demands of Poincaré the latter insisted on his being assigned to the command of the French forces in the Dardanelles. There he showed such an amount of incompetency that it became necessary to recall him. And, as if this were not enough, the president has lately sent him off on a special mission to Petrograd to confer on military matters with the minister of war there and with the various commanders at the Russian front, which means that he will receive a high order of knighthood from the czar. All this will be impossible from now on, and no assignment to any command can henceforth be made save by Generalissimo Joffre.

The latter's appointment moreover renders unnecessary any special action by the English government toward placing the armies of Field Marshal Sir John French under the supreme direction of Joffre with a view to more unity of action in the disposition and movement of troops than has hitherto prevailed.

Until now Joffre has been regarded as being at the head merely of one group of armies on the eastern front and composed exclusively of Frenchmen, while Sir John French has been looked upon as having the wholly independent command of another group of armies composed of Englishmen, the fact of his holding the rank of field marshal, whereas Joffre was only a general, enabling him to put forth pretensions to superiority of rank over the latter.

Quite a number of the failures of movements against the Germans on the eastern front in France have been due to the lack of the requisite unity of action between the French and English commanders and of their respective staffs. This has been so apparent that even the English have vigorously advocated, in and out of parliament, the necessity of having all the armies operating in France against Germany under one supreme head—namely: that of Joffre.

The appointment of Joffre to the supreme command of all the military forces of France settles the question without any further action on the part of the British government, for as generalissimo, not merely of a group of armies but of all France, the British and Belgian troops operating on French soil naturally come under his orders, no matter what the rank of the British or Belgian officers. From now on no movement of troops, of France or of her allies, can take place on French soil without Joffre's sanction and approval.

While it is probable that Sir John French may not relish the altered conditions, the personage who has lost most thereby is undoubtedly the president, for the latter has until now claimed to be the supreme commander of the military and naval forces of France by virtue of his office. His pretensions in the matter are based on laws enacted on Feb. 25 and July 16, in 1875, at the special instance of Marshal MacMahon, who was then chief magistrate of the republic and who insisted that it should be made thoroughly plain that the president was entitled to the supreme command of the army and navy, not only in time of peace but also in war.

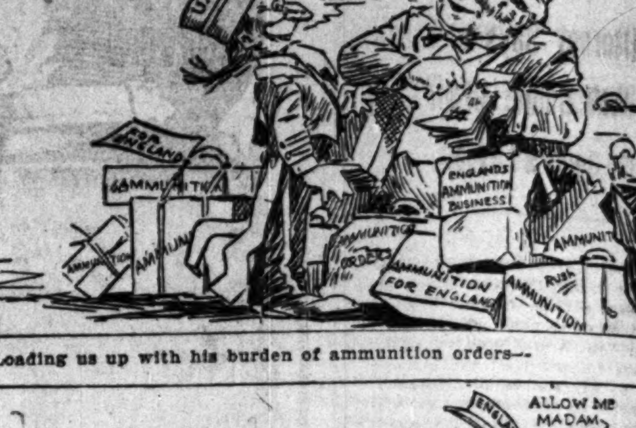
These laws have never been repealed. They are still in existence to the present day, and, while the idea was preposterous of a statesman such as fat old ex-President Fallieres taking the field as generalissimo, who had never bestridden a horse in his life and who was terribly obese, Poincaré has, ever since the beginning of the war, been tireless in visiting the troops at the front, in holding reviews, and in presiding at military pageants in more or less military fashion.

The ministers who have accompanied him on these occasions have been content with plain, ordinary civilian garb and hat. But Poincaré, who can never forget that he has been a lieutenant of territorial infantry, has affected a peculiar costume of his own, consisting of a yachting cap, a tightly buttoned black sack coat, knee breeches, and either military puttees or else top boots. Moreover, when his ministers have saluted the flag and visiting foreign royalties and dignitaries by doffing their hats, he has contented himself with giving the purely military salute by bringing his right hand to his yachting cap. As he is not a very martial figure, the spectacle he presents at a parade is not altogether impressive.

Of course, the only uniform to which President Poincaré is entitled is the dark green tail coat adorned with green silk embroidery of the members of the Academy of France. It was designed by the first Napoleon and is finished off with a cocked hat and a sword. It is not, however, a very military looking uniform—indeed, quite the reverse, and rather suggests a green Brazilian parakeet.

MERCY! DO YOU SUPPOSE HE DONE IT A-PURPOSE?

[From the Des Moines Register and Leader.]



Loading us up with his burden of ammunition orders—

So that our hands would be full when a certain favorite customer should come along.

"PRO-GERMAN."

(From the New Republic.)

". . . a somewhat pro-German weekly in New York, The New Republic."—From an editorial in the Boston Evening Transcript.

This remark was made by the Transcript just three days after The New Republic had discussed at some length the desirability of an eventual alliance with Great Britain. In view of this it becomes a matter of some interest to discover just what the most pretentiously learned newspaper in the United States means by "pro-German."

It means, so far as we can discover, anything short of complete fanaticism about the allies. There are circles in Boston society where the Transcript is approved, in which it is pro-German to doubt the smallest item in the most jingoistic utterance of the allies. It is not only pro-German, but it is anti-American. You must not mention the fact that French aviators drop bombs on undefended German cities; you must not believe that the Senegalese are capable of any atrocity; you must pretend that a Cossack troop in a Galician village has a religious respect for The Hague conventions; you must believe that a Russian retreat is a Russian victory. Otherwise you are pro-German. Not only is it necessary to see the "Teutons" as all black and the allies as lily white, it is treason to civilization for any one to remember that this war must come to an end, that it must end fairly soon, and that when peace has been made it will still be necessary to live in the same world with the Germans.

We can understand that in England and France there is little time for discrimination. Those nations are in a desperate struggle, and their fury has a considerable military value. But for the Transcript in comfortable Boston, for well fed people in American cities to indulge in these orgasms of hate is nothing less than mischievous stupidity. It destroys whatever usefulness they might have in this supreme contest, and the hurt which they have inflicted on American prestige is incalculable.

By their utterances, quoted in the European press, they have given the impression that America accepts the allied cause without question. Naturally Europeans ask why we're not fighting if that is the way we feel about it. If the right and wrong of this struggle are so clear, then only cowards would stay at home and curse over the dinner table. If everything that counts in the world is concentrated in the cause of the allies, then we ought to be fighting in Flanders, not making money in Boston.

But is the Transcript urging our government to enter the war? Not at all. The Transcript is urging us to hate the Germans; the Transcript is parroting the wisdom of British recruiting speeches; the Transcript is ready to pour out a torrent of some one else's blood and some one else's treasure, and the Transcript is ready to fight this war of civilization from the sidelines. It talks as Frenchmen whose country is invaded have a right to talk, and it talks as the Belgians who have paid the price have every justification for talking. And what does it propose to do? To crush German militarism with British and French lives, contribute a little money to the Red Cross, send a few ambulance units to the allied fronts, and publish articles about the wickedness of the Germans. The ignominy of it is fathomless.

And any one who does not imitate the Transcript is pro-German. Now, we happen to have a different conception of America's duty in this war, a conception which seems to us more useful and more honorable. The American people do not intend to take part in this war. They had no share in the diplomacy which led up to it, and their long habit of isolation found them unprepared for any adequate judgment on the issues involved. They might have been dragged in over the Lusitania, but it would have been a coup de force, not by a democratic decision.

Since we do not intend to become a belligerent we ought to have the decency not to talk and think like a belligerent. With a whole world at war there are plenty of other activities open to a powerful neutral. There is, first of all, the relief of suffering—in which we have done miserably little. Our per capita contribution to Belgium, for example, is a great deal less than that of Australia. But more important than that is the task of keeping alive in the world the light of reason. We should be at the moment a clearing house of fact and opinion, a trustee of all the sanctions which bind men together.

It is not for us to egg Europe on to hate and more hate. It is for us to be insisting at all times that whatever wrong the Germans have done, no revenge can right it. We should be standing against the uselessness of hate, against the insanity which proposes to atone for a crime by committing more crimes. Then we should be in a position to serve Europe. Then we should be able to contribute to the terms of peace. It is for us to hold fast the idea that the principle of the settlement must not be punishment but the firm organization of Europe.

Just because it is hard to forgive the Germans we as neutrals ought to be insisting on it. It is not that Germany doesn't deserve moral condemnation. It is that too great things are at stake for any such trivial attitude. Our hearts and minds must be set on the future and that future is desperate unless there is everywhere a willingness to forget and a readiness to make adjustments. It is a difficult attitude to hold, perhaps an impossible one for a people at war. But the moment we decided not to spend our lives on the battlefields of Europe it became the only course which Americans could in honor maintain.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

WORKABLE PROGRAM NEEDED.

Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 2.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—You are absolutely right when you take the stand that the continental army, as proposed by the president, is likely to be a "continental" failure. Why? In the first place, the training period should be at least nine months, probably a year. It is said that most of the recruits will come from the colleges and universities. Is it not true that most men are in their last year at college or have graduated by the time they are 21, and hence eligible to the "continental army." Therefore they cannot spend their vacations in a two months' training period as proposed. Will a graduate mortgage two months of his time for three years in advance when he starts out in the world? Few, for a young man must make good, and a two months' absence each year will hardly be relished by most employers. Where will we get the recruits then? From the ranks of those who have worked for a number of years prior to becoming 21, and are holding a good job. Very few again.

If any such "continental" plan is to succeed it must be made attractive. The training period should be in one stretch, so that a college man can enlist after he graduates, get his training, and then be free except for a call to the colors in time of emergency. Pay should be allowed at the same rate as the regular army. In this way men out of work could be induced to join the ranks and tide over the period of unemployment.

Another fallacy of this "defense program" is the fact that it is planned for five years, with the smallest appropriation this fiscal year.

Such programs have been made before, notably the navy board program made some years ago, and which congress has persistently ignored. Given that Mr. Wilson is sincere in trying to carry out his program for five years, there is grave doubt that his term of office will last that long, or that he can control congress to do his bidding until it is completed.

What we want is a real, workable program, with large appropriations now, while public sentiment is aroused, abolition of most of the political army posts with which this west is covered, an efficient army and navy removed from politics so far as that is possible, and not a program for 1925.

WILLIAM J. FAUTH.

PERHAPS IT IS.

The University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 2.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—To that optimism which prefers to laugh away serious life problems instead of looking them square in the face, Arthur Schopenhauer gave the attribute flat, dull (platter optimismus). You, in your editorial on "American Jokes," go a step further and call it "insane." Your adjective is good, very good. And the whole gist of your remarks reminds me of what a noted Englishman said of our humor: that it does not illuminate the thought or problem, but extinguishes it. I believe this is all too true. When we can't easily solve a problem we kill it—with a joke.

Not so in continental Europe. Their big problems are attacked with a religious zeal which excludes all frivolity. I am wondering if this radical difference between the Weltanschauung of our people and that of, say the Germans—probably the most earnest thinking people of Europe—is not one of the reasons for our lack of sympathy with them, and theirs with us, at this time.

GEORGE PULLEN JACKSON.

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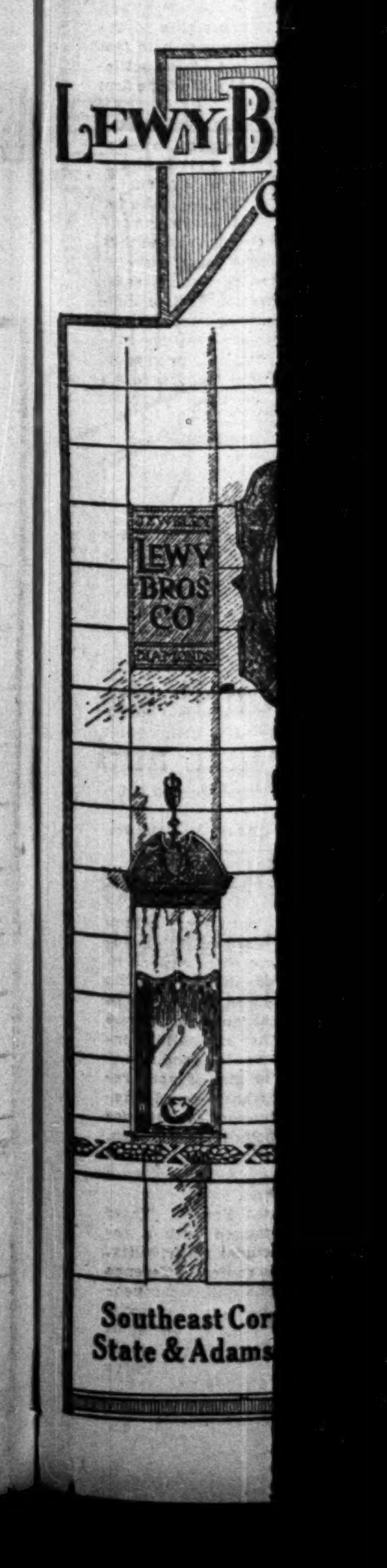

LIBEL THREAT BY FOWLER FAILS TO HALT PLOT QUIZ

Federal Attorney Says Indictments Will Come; Union Labor Leaders Loyal.

New York, Dec. 7.—[Special.]—The federal investigation into the conspiracy of Franz Rintelen, a close friend of the German emperor and a naval officer, and David Lamar, "the Wolf of Wall Street," to finance the Labor's National Peace council and to buy strikes in munition factories, reached an acute stage tonight. H. Robert Fowler of Illinois, former representative in congress and counsel to the Labor's National Peace council, issued a statement denouncing United States District Attorney Marshall, calling on him to retract his statements regarding the peace council and some of its officers and threatening to sue every newspaper in the country that printed these statements. Jacob C. Taylor, president of the council, also denied Mr. Marshall's charges that the council was financed by Rintelen.

"Full" of Ethics.

To all this Mr. Marshall, when seen at his home later, had this emphatic reply to make to Mr. Fowler's charge that the United States attorney had violated the ethics of his office:

"This—fellow—is full of ethics."

While Mr. Marshall would go no further in reply to Mr. Fowler it was learned on unquestionable authority that the federal reply to Mr. Fowler and to Mr. Taylor will be indictments.

It is surmised that within a surprisingly short time the federal officials will reveal in full their case against the Labor's National Peace council and against the men who were so active in shouting against the shipment of munitions of war to the allies after their bank accounts had taken a big jump.

Demanded Retraction.

Mr. Fowler's letter to United States District Attorney Marshall follows:

"New York, Dec. 7.—To H. Snowden Marshall, U. S. District Attorney, Southern District of New York, Federal Court Building, New York.—Sir: Your statement as published in the New York morning papers of Dec. 7, 1915, particularly in the New York World and the New York Times, is a libel and public slander against the good name of Labor's National Peace council and every member thereof. I therefore as general counsel for Labor's National Peace council demand of you a public retraction in all the newspapers in which said statement of yours has appeared. H. ROBERT FOWLER."

Union Labor Leaders Loyal.

Mr. Marshall said emphatically that the failure of Rintelen and Lamar to carry out the plan was due to the incorruptibility of the labor leaders in this country.

"Taken as a whole," said Mr. Marshall, "Rintelen's efforts to foment strikes met with small success, because they were blocked by the integrity of the big labor union officials whom he could not bribe.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who will be called as a witness before the grand jury, will tell a remarkable story concerning Rintelen's activities. There is a rumor that an effort was made to bribe him, but Mr. Marshall would not confirm it.

Expect Five Indictments.

It is surmised that at least five men connected with Labor's National Peace council will be indicted. There may be others involved and it may be that a number of small labor leaders will be gathered into the mesh.

The significant facts obtained were that Rintelen paid from one fund—he had numerous funds in banks and trust companies in this city and in Chicago—almost $300,000 to Lamar for the organization of the Labor's National Peace council. Of that amount Lamar paid out $170,000 to persons directly, or indirectly to men connected with the organization and part of the $170,000 was used in buying strikes.

SAY "COUNCIL" IS DEAD.

The "Labor Peace council" is a thing of the past as far as Chicago labor is concerned. Labor leaders yesterday were quick to declare that the organization never had been sanctioned by union labor, and they denied any knowledge of the inner workings. The fixtures and furniture of the deserted offices in the Monon building will be sold for rent. Members of the office force do not expect several weeks' back pay, and a printer's bill of more than $500 probably will remain unpaid.

William F. Kramer of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and one of the vice presidents of the Labor Peace council, declared he had been placed in the wrong light by the exposé of the "council."

"If the name of the Labor Peace council was used to foster strikes in munition plants or for any other illegitimate purpose it was done without the knowledge of the officers," he said. "Had I even suspected there was any connection between German agents and any one connected with the organization I would have resigned. We were doing our best to prevent strikes. The propaganda we issued was for the purpose of influencing the government to take over the patent rights of the munition plants to prevent jingoism.

Never Dreamed of War Plot.

"The name of any German diplomat or agent was never mentioned, and I swear that not even a suspicion of any connection with a war plot entered my mind. We were doing our best to work along the principles laid down by union labor. We were working for the laboring man in the trenches and the factory. To destroy lives or property was directly opposite to our motives. If there was any connection with a war plot it was without our knowledge.

"There is absolutely nothing upon which such charges can be based. There is no truth that the Labor Peace council had any connection with a war plot, and such charges are made merely to discredit union labor. The whole thing will fall through as far as labor is concerned. If politicians sought to use labor to further their own ends that is to be laid at the door of politics."

German Naval Attache Whose Recall U. S. Has Requested.

Capt. Karl Boy-Ed.
[His latest photograph.]

SEES WIFE WITH ANOTHER.

Robert Soelkes, Chicago City Official, Causes Her Arrest in Denver.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—After loitering outside a window, he says, watching his wife receive another man in her apartment, Robert Soelks, a Chicago city official, swore out a warrant for the arrest of Mrs. Soelks and her visitor and they are now prisoners in the city jail. Three detectives and a humane officer arrested the couple in Mrs. Soelks' apartments. The "other man" gives his name as Charles McLaughlin, 28, until recently an elevator pilot at the Brown Palace hotel. Mrs. Soelks, according to her husband, came here in July for her health. She brought her son with her and her husband has since been sending her $55 a month for expenses. Soelks came here early last week.

CAPTS. VON PAPEN AND BOY-ED TO GO; FRICTION ENDED

U. S. Disclaimer of Charges Aganist Men Satisfies Bernstorff, Also Absolved.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Capts. Boy-Ed and Von Papen will leave the United States as soon as the state department arranges their safe conduct.

The controversy between Secretary Lansing and Count von Bernstorff concerning the charges or reasons that led to the request for their recall has been settled.

Secretary Lansing gave Count von Bernstorff a clean bill of health in every particular and absolved him of any connection whatever with improper activities in this country.

No Direct Charges Made.

Secretary Lansing assured Count von Bernstorff that the United States government has not charged, intimated, or suggested in any way that Capt. Boy-Ed or Capt. von Papen has been involved in any political activities against the United States or any of the individual states.

This diplomatic disclaimer on the part of this government in writing appears to have satisfied the German ambassador in every detail and he is now content to part with his naval and military aids.

Berlin to Obey U. S. Order?

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The request received here from the United States for the recall of Capt. Franz von Papen and Capt. Karl Boy-Ed, military and naval attachés respectively of the German embassy at Washington, will undoubtedly be complied with in accordance with diplomatic usage, it is stated.

However, Germany probably will ask first to be informed of the grounds on which the United States government bases the undesirability of the attachés.

News of the request for the recall has not been published as yet by the German press.

Red Cross Approves Prison.

BERLIN, via wireless to Sayville, N. Y., Dec. 7.—The Overseas News agency says: "Three Russian Red Cross sisters who officially visited the Russian prisoner camps in Germany have ended their mission and are highly satisfied with the treatment accorded the prisoners.

ETTELSON PROVES COLD TO APPEAL OF THE DRYS.

Request That Mayor Close Saloons in "Last Chance" Area Meets a Rebuff.

Corporation Counsel Ettelson yesterday turned down the appeal of the Chicago Law and Order league to oust thirty-two saloons which the league asserts are operating illegally.

A demand was formulated for presentation to Mayor Thompson to cancel the licenses of twenty of these saloons on the ground that at least this number are within dry territory. They cited a statement to that effect from Superintendent of Maps Riley. It is the contention of the league that the entire thirty-two, if not more, are operating in violation of the charter, which forbids saloons within four miles of Northwestern university. The saloons in question occupy the "last chance" neighborhood in the vicinity of Devon avenue and Broadway.

Officials of the league, including Arthur Burrage Farwell, Robert McMurdy, and William F. Mulvihill, stated their case before Corporation Counsel Ettelson. Later Mr. Ettelson said the council was the place for the committee to go; that he would not carry the request to the mayor.

CHICAGOAN'S RENO DIVORCE DOESN'T GO IN NEW JERSEY.

George Lister Ordered to Pay Alimony to Number One, Who Lives in Paterson.

New York, Dec. 7.—[Special.]—According to a decision given by Vice Chancellor Stevenson in Jersey City today, a divorce obtained in Nevada by a transient resident is not legal in New Jersey.

The vice chancellor set aside a divorce granted at Reno on Dec. 10, 1900, to George Lister of Chicago, formerly of Hoboken, on the ground of extreme cruelty.

Lister had married again and has been living with his second wife and their two children. The divorced wife is Mrs. Minnie Lister of Paterson. He was ordered by Vice Chancellor Stevenson to pay the first Mrs. Lister $15 a week alimony and $500 counsel fees.

CHICAGOAN TAKES A BRIDE.

Sidney Ulrich Busch Marries Miss Mary Frances Alofs of St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Miss Mary Frances Alofs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lambert Alofs, and Sidney Ulrich Busch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anheuser Busch of Chicago, were married at the Emmanuel Episcopal church at Webster Groves, a suburb of St. Louis, tonight, the Rev. Courtney Jones, the pastor, officiating.

WOULD INCREASE MEDICAL CORPS IN CITY SCHOOLS

Dr. Robertson Wants Physician and Nurse in Every Building to Stamp Out Disease.

Dr. John Dill Robertson, commissioner of health, wants a physician and nurse placed in every public school in Chicago. He is going to suggest such a plan to the board of education.

Dr. Robertson already has seen Mrs. Ella Flagg Young regarding the proposal. He estimated the cost at $750,000 annually. Mrs. Young showed no particular enthusiasm toward the plan, but asked him to submit an estimated budget covering the expense in detail.

There are at present nearly 100 physicians and nurses in the schools. Dr. Robertson said that the department of health would have jurisdiction over the 600 employés, who would be appointed by the city civil service commission.

"It is estimated that $20,000,000 a year is spent in Chicago because of contagious diseases," said Dr. Robertson. "All of these diseases spread from the schools. There is no hope for an appropriation from the city for this work, as the health department's appropriation is not likely to be more than it was last year, when it was far below the amount the work deserves."

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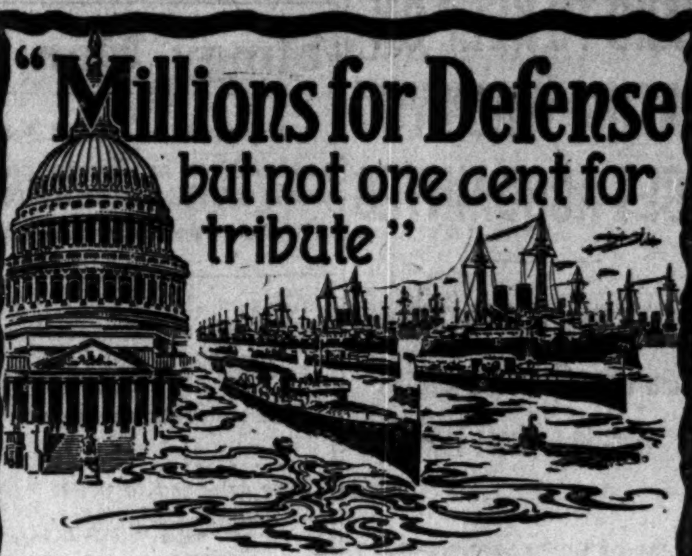

The ringing words of Pinckney, more than a century ago, will be echoed in the 64th Congress which convenes in WASHINGTON in December.

Not since the Civil War has Congress been called upon for such vast appropriations as it will be this winter.

More than $500,000,000 will be asked for the Navy to be used in the next five years. Millions more for the Army and more millions for the Panama Canal and general preparedness.

It will be a busy winter in WASHINGTON!

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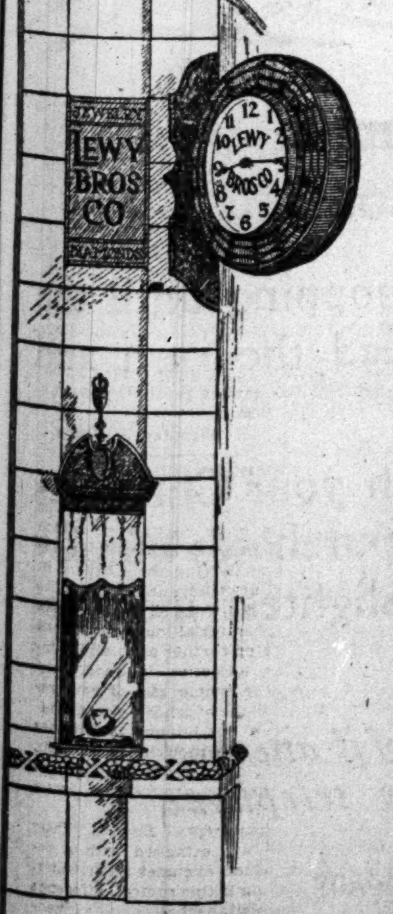

—this institution, with four expert diamond men at its head—all working earnestly to make Lewy Brothers Company the greatest jewelry house in Chicago, has developed the "Personal Service" idea to its highest degree of efficiency.

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—maybe it will be the elegance and supreme quality of the stock itself—in all events visit this convenient shop before you purchase your Christmas jewelry needs.

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Southeast Corner State & Adams Sts.

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WE are often asked if the less expensive Victrolas will play all the records. Yes, indeed, they will. Even the smallest Victrola will not only play everything, but moreover it will play with the pure, human quality which is found only in the genuine Victrola.

Every home can afford a Victrola, for there is a Victrola to fit every purse.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 4, $17.25

This includes Victrola style No. 4, $15.00, and six selections (three 10-inch double-faced 75c records) of your own choosing. This Victrola is equipped with the Exhibition Sound Box and is capable of playing any of the 5,000 different selections. Terms, $2.25 down and $4.00 a month, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 6, $28.75

This includes an excellent portable Victrola style No. 6, oak finish, with Exhibition Sound Box, price $25.00, and 10 selections (five 10-inch double-faced 75c records) of your own choosing. You may pay for this at the rate of $3.75 down and $5.00 a month, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 8, $44.50

Victrola style No. 8, oak finish, price $40.00. Equipped with all the latest improvements. The outfit at $44.50 includes also 12 pieces of your own selection (six 10-inch double-faced 75c records). Terms, $4.50 cash for the records and $5.00 a month for the machine, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 9, $55.25

Victrola style No. 9, equipped with speed indicator and regulator and many improvements, mahogany or oak, price $50.00. The outfit at $55.25 includes 14 selections (seven 10-inch double-faced 75c records) of your own choosing. Terms, $5.25 cash for the records and $5.00 a month for the machine, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 10, $81.00

This includes a beautiful cabinet Victrola style No. 10, mahogany or oak, price $75.00, and 16 selections (eight 10-inch double-faced 75c records) of your own choosing. Terms, $6.00 cash for the records and $5.00 a month for the machine, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 11, $108.25

Victrola style No. 11, mahogany or oak finish, price $100.00, with 22 selections of your own choosing (11 10-inch double-faced 75c records). Terms, $8.25 cash for the records and $5.00 a month on the machine, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 14, $161.25

Mahogany or oak cabinet Victrola, exceedingly large and massive, new style No. 14, price $150.00. This outfit at $161.25 includes a fine library of 30 selections of your own choosing (15 double-faced 10-inch 75c records). Terms, $11.25 cash for the records and $10.00 a month for the machine, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 16, $215.00

Victrola style No. 16, mahogany or oak finish, $200.00, together with 40 selections (20 double-faced 10-inch 75c records) of your own choosing. Terms, $15.00 cash for the records and $10.00 a month for the machine, beginning next month.

Lyon & Healy's Outfit No. 18, $325.00

Victrola style No. 18, mahogany or English brown mahogany finish, $300.00, together with your selection of records, assorted, Red Seals, Purple and Blue Label, and double-faced records to the value of $25.00. Terms, $25.00 cash for the records and $25.00 a month for the machine, beginning next month.

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HARD TO KEEP ON HATING WHEN YOU GET ACQUAINTED

Daily Contact with Foe in Occupied Town Removes Animosities in a Short Time.

BY JAMES O'DONNELL BENNETT.
[War Correspondent of The Tribune.]
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GERMAN HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, Nov. 9.—I have written in some detail of what I saw at Vouziers, because Vouziers is typical enough of dozens of other towns of 4,000 or 5,000 inhabitants in occupied France. There is always an old church, always a rue Victor Hugo, almost always the birthhouse of some famous man whose name comes back to you as an old friend of your reading days, but whose memorials you are surprised to encounter in so obscure a town, always a statue to Jeanne d'Arc, always a German regimental band playing something from the classic light operas in the market place at 1 o'clock, and always a stationer's shop where soldiers are buying lead pencils and picture postcards and Köln newspapers and humorous weeklies. And always there is hovering neutrally on the scene a kindly, wise looking Catholic priest whom both the foreign soldiery and the native population treat with a great deal of respect and question incessantly. And so life goes on.

Hard to Keep On Hating.

Once a town is definitely occupied the women resume their knitting, bringing out their chairs in the afternoon and setting them against a sunny expanse of wall, and the soldiers quartered at their houses stand by and visit in monosyllables or awkwardly hold the skeins for the knitters. Manifestly it is a difficult business for human beings thrown into the daily and hourly contact of the domestic routine to keep on hating each other. The effort is too great and the satisfaction too slight.

And so matters adjust themselves. When the women place their chairs against the sunny wall they like a man around to fetch and carry and to run after the children, who, like as not, will be darting across the street where the military autos are roaring by. And the soldiers, when they come out in the air to smoke, want a woman around to give heed to their grumbling.

Pretty soon the children—especially the innately historic French children—pick up some of the ways of soldiers and imitate them, and that makes for laughter all 'round. A dozen times a day I have seen French children of the countryside pull themselves up, stand to attention, and salute in the German manner when a German officer's auto rushed by them. A year ago they would have had their ears boxed for doing that, but it was too hard work to keep them up to the hating point.

Get American Relief.

Many of the children one passes have their arms full of provisions issued by the Spanish-American relief committee. They are irresistible children, very polite and gentle, with timid, pretty, wistful ways and a manner of acknowledging the pfennigs one gives them that is altogether captivating, because they do not take the money like beggar children, but as if one were their friend and had made them a little present.

Perhaps I cannot better illustrate the gracious air of these village children than by saying that I should feel that I had grossly affronted them if I tossed a 10 pfennig piece to them. Nay, I must gravely put it in the hand of my friend and she then will smile gravely and make a little courtesy and say "Merci, m'sieur!" The boys will not make their acknowledgment so scrupulously, but still they salute and jerk out some words of thanks.

Fighting for Coal.

Moving among such scenes and among such people, and a good deal more interested in them, I am afraid, than I was in the routine of the great offensive, I passed out of the region of the Champagne in the course of three or four days and drew near to the coal country in the northwest. Here they fight not for heights and woods and streams, as they do in the Champagne, but for villages or houses or huge black mounds of earth which rise near the mouth of a coal mine. This is mostly a flat, dull stretch of country which, like all coal countries, looks as if it needed a thorough scrubbing, but was wholly reconciled to never having it.

On its borders, however, are some interesting towns, several of them with more than a dozen centuries of authentic history—Douai, for example. To Catholics in America Douai will be more than a name, because it was from this town that the English translation of the Bible for Roman Catholics, which we at home call the Douay Bible, took its name, though the translation was actually made at Reims.

Douai Escapes War's Ravages.

Until the outbreak of the war there were a hundred or more young Englishmen in Douai who were studying at the College of English Benedictines in the Rue St. Benoit, which was founded three and a half centuries ago for the education of English priests. The town has an art gallery of which any American city of twenty times its population might justly be proud, and admirable statues to its sixteenth century sculptor, Jean de Douai, and its fifteenth century painter, Bellegambe the elder, whom men called "maitre de couleurs."

I am glad to be able to say that both the gallery and the monuments of Douai are undamaged, the town having had vastly better luck than its neighbor, Arras, fourteen miles to the southwest, which lies in a white ruin under the golden autumn sun.

Stingy Man or Goodfellow?

If you will be a Good Fellow at Christmas to some family of poor children in Chicago, please fill out the attached blank and send it to THE TRIBUNE (Good Fellow department, Room 520) or write a letter of similar import.

I live at No. .... street. I will be Santa Claus to .... children (any number you wish). Please give me the names of the children in .... (state what section of the city you prefer to have assigned to you).
Sign your name ....

SEES FUTURE OPERA STAR IN FORMER POLICEMAN.

Caruso to Take New Jersey Man to Europe for Preparation in Career as Singer.

New York, Dec. 7.—[Special.]—There are two Carusos—one the tenor of the golden voice, the other the man of the golden heart. This, at least, is the firm belief of Edward J. McNamara, once of the Paterson (N. J.) police force—now, thanks to Sig. Caruso, of anywhere in the world his voice and art may carry him.

Sig. Caruso believes he has found a singer of the first rank, and in this belief he has taken McNamara under his tutelage for the next five months. If at the end of that period the former policeman has shown enough progress, the great tenor will take his protége with him to Europe, there to prepare him for the operatic stage.

WILL TRY BANK BIDS AGAIN.

Controller Readvertises for Offers to Hoard City's Money for 1916.

City Controller Pike yesterday readvertised for bids from Chicago banks for the use of the city's money during 1916. On Mr. Pike's recommendation the city council rejected the bids received in answer to the first advertisement as being too low.

"The smaller banks got together and bid 2¼ and 2½ per cent," Mr. Pike said. "The larger banks promised only 2 per cent. One or two bankers who did not seem to be informed offered 3 per cent. On this basis the city would lose $125,000 in interest as compared with last year."

Last year the total interest war $517,740.63.

DEMOCRATS WON BY ST. LOUIS PLEA

Leaders Vote to Give Missouri City 1916 Convention; Meets June 14.

(Continued from first page.)

of Louisville, and Will B. King was seated from Oregon in a contest with W. H. Easterly.

Here is how the committee lined up by states on the final vote:

ST. LOUIS.

Alabama,	New Jersey,
Arkansas,	Ohio,
California,	Pennsylvania,
Colorado,	South Carolina,
Connecticut,	Tennessee,
Delaware,	Vermont,
Florida,	Virginia,
Idaho,	Washington,
Kansas,	West Virginia,
Louisiana,	Wisconsin,
Maine,	Wyoming,
Michigan,	District of Columbia,
Missouri,	Porto Rico.
Nevada,	
New Hampshire,	

CHICAGO.

Arizona,	Nebraska,
Illinois,	New York,
Indiana,	North Dakota,
Iowa,	Rhode Island,
Kentucky,	South Dakota,
Massachusetts,	Alaska,
Minnesota,	Hawaii.
Montana,	

DALLAS.

Georgia,	Oregon,
Maryland,	Texas,
Mississippi,	Utah,
New Mexico,	Philippines.
Oklahoma,	

Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, member of the committee from North Carolina, attended the meeting but did not vote.

G. O. P. SURE TO COME.

Chicago declined to be downhearted over the loss of the Democratic national convention and redoubled its efforts to lan the Republican assemblage, which now looks like a two weeks' proposition.

Chairman Fred W. Upham, at the head of the Chicago committee, will start for Washington Sunday mornin. National Committeeman Roy O. West will go Friday. In the Chicago and Illinois contingent will be forty or fifty representative Republicans.

News that St. Louis had secured the Democratic gathering seemed to assure Republicans all over the country that Chicago will be selected next Tuesday for the Republicas roundup. While the Democrats were fighting for breathing space at St. Louis telegrams began to pour into Chicago hotels making reservations for the Republican national convention.

YOU WITH AUTOS, HERE'S CHANCE FOR 'JOY' RIDES

Not Speeding, but Taking Joy to Little Ones on Good Fellow List.

GOOD FELLOWS

Don't forgt your rôle. The true Good Fellow's job, as suggested by the first Good Fellow back in 1909, is to play Santa Claus the day before Christmas to some kiddies whose stockings will otherwise be empty. The occasion demands toys, candies, bulging pockets, and YOU. Please don't think you can discharge your obligations with a greenback. And, please—
DON'T SEND MONEY TO "THE TRIBUNE."

He was tall and broad shouldered and jovial, and he breezed into THE TRIBUNE'S Good Fellow department yesterday like a benevolent Kansas cyclone.

"My name is ——," he said. "I live on Sheridan road, and I'd like to play Santa Claus to about four families—the more kids the better. How about it?"

"Well," said the attendant, "let's see. Want 'em on the north side, near Sheridan road, I suppose?"

Can Beat Santa.

"Near home? Why, shucks, no. Say, I've just bought a new twin six car, and there's room in it for more toys and truck than Santa Claus ever thought of piling into that dinky sleigh of his. I'll tell you. I thought maybe you'd have some folks 'way out somewhere where a lot of the Good Fellows couldn't very well reach them and that you'd like to have me attend to them. I can eat up as many miles as you want me to."

The rather emotional attendant gulped. "God bless you!" she exclaimed before she thought. (It isn't the place of TRIBUNE employés, you know, to God bless people who come in on business.) "I—er—I mean, that's fine! You're just the man we have been looking for."

Gets Them Scattered.

And the little cards bearing the names and addresses of the four families asked for were filled out in a hurry. One family was in South Chicago, two on the far west side, and the fourth ten miles northwest of the city hall.

There was a sigh of relief as the big man went out, for he had helped to solve one of the biggest problems of the Good Fellow department. Families who will be depending on the Good Fellows for their Christmas this year do not, unfortunately, always live in the most convenient locations. And many of the men and women who have signified their willingness to play Santa Claus live, just as unfortunately, in neighborhoods where the poor can't afford to pay the rent.

Already there are nearly 200 Good Fellows who have not, as yet, been provided with the names of the boys and girls they are to make a Christmas for, simply because of their restrictions as to location.

Here, then, is a chance for the Good Fellows with automobiles, for those who will extend their plans to renting a car for the Christmas visit, or for those who can negotiate a little journey on the elevated or the surface lines. Why not do as the big man did—ask for a family or two that may, if you don't ask, be out of Santa's path?

EVANSTON REPORTERS FAIL TO CHANGE MAYOR'S VIEW.

They Send Check for Light They Burned, but Can't Make Him See Their Importance.

The fourth estate occupies the same place in Evanston that the fourth dimension fills in higher mathematics. Mayor Harry P. Pearsons admits it may exist, but he really can't see it, you know.

He naturally couldn't see any use of wasting 33 cents a month on electric lights for the pressroom at the city hall and recently he ejected the plumbers and joiners of fiction and fancy. He also prohibited the newspaper men from riding on the police patrol.

Last night Joe Harris, president of the Reporters' Club of the North Shore, tendered the city council a check for $3.50, which, according to the estimate of an electrical expert, covered the electric light bill at the rate of one-sixth of a cent an hour.

Also Mr. Harris informed the council that the reporters would not ride in the patrol except under compulsion. The council at Mayor Pearson's suggestion refused to accept the check.

Fair Building Brings $3,650.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 7.—The New York state building at the Panama-Pacific exposition, which cost about $200,000 to erect, was sold at auction today to a wrecker for $3,650. The price was $650 higher than was offered at private sale, the manner in which most of the buildings have been sold.

A PROMINENT AMERICAN'S ENDORSEMENT

"My recent enjoyable trip with my family to California, on the Golden State Limited, prompts me to write this acknowledgement. Although having crossed the Atlantic more than one hundred times, and traveled extensively throughout this and foreign countries, I felt genuine pride in this example of superior American railroading.

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"Dad, you could not have had The Book of Knowledge when you were young, for it answers every question a child will ask."

Where does the wind begin?
Why are tears salt?
What makes a fog?
Where do thoughts come from?
Why do we go to sleep?
What makes a bee hum?
What is radium?
Why is the sky blue?
Why do stars twinkle?
Why is snow white?
Why has water no taste?
Why is yawning catching?
What is air made of?
Why is foam white?
What makes us sneeze?
Why do we dream?

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Two and three button styles for men. Ultra smart 'young' models. Brown, green, olive, blue and gray. Overplaids, stripes and mixtures. All new winter woolens. At $25. *Second Floor.*

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Store hours from now until Christmas 8 to 6 o'clock.

A Christmas-Gift Sale of 100 INNOVATION Wardrobe Trunks

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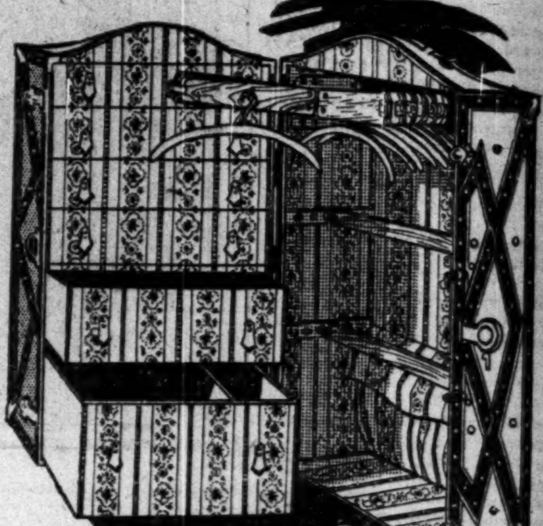
Offering Two Numbers of the New 1916 Innovation Line at Decided Savings

Shop Early

CERTAINLY this is an opportune event. Never before have the new models of Innovation Wardrobe Trunks been placed on sale so early.



These new models have several exclusive features. They are lined with fancy cretonne, and they have locked top drawer and shoe pockets—

As Well as Other Exclusive Innovation Ingenuities, Making Them the Wardrobe Trunks Without a Peer.

They are made according to the regulations of the Inter-State Commerce Commission—45 inches high—and they cannot be packed in any usual way that will ruffle the journey with the bugbear of excess baggage or rumpled clothes. Special prices are quoted on two new 1916 numbers of Innovation Trunks, one of which is pictured above.

Style H—	Style K—
Innovation Trunk, Usually $45	Innovation Trunk, Usually $50
Now $30	Now $40
These are covered with extra heavy canvas, reinforced with heavy fiber binding and riveted-on bands.	These are covered with corrugated fiber, bound with heavy fiber binding and riveted-on bands.

Added Special—

A limited number of Grade M Innovation Special Wardrobe Trunks in three sizes—steamer, medium and full size—are being —offered at $16.75

Seventh Floor, South Room.

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Don't put off your Christmas shopping until the "last minute" because you dread the rush and bustle of the crowded stores.

Sit down at your telephone with your Christmas list and you can complete your purchases quickly and satisfactorily, without the slightest inconvenience to yourself.

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[TH]OMPSON ASKS [PO]PULAR VOTE ON [R]OW WITH WEST

[Fac]tion Rivals Thrash Out [Nat]ional Committee Quarrel at Primary.

[Mayor] William Hale Thompson yester[day injected] a new proposition into the Illi[nois] political mixup. He proposes [his] name and that of Roy O. West, Republican national committee[man, be] submitted in the direct primary [next April] as candidates for delegates at [large] to the Republican national conven[tion]. [The one] getting the higher state-wide [vote sh]all be elected Republican national [committ]eeman by the Illinois delegates [to the] national convention. Mayor [Thomp]son in his letter agrees to with[draw a]s a candidate for national commit[teeman] if he doesn't get more votes than [Mr.] West.

[Chances] are a hundred to one that the [mayor]'s proposition will be declined and [m]ay not considered at all by Mr [West, fo]rmer Gov. Deneen, or any other [of Mr.] West's advisers.

[No]t Likely to Be Favored.

[Witho]ut any statement from Mr. West [to back] it up, it may be asserted safely [that M]ayor Thompson's challenge will be [regard]ed by the Deneen-West forces as [more or] less impudent, impractical as a [pub]lic proposition, and calculated to [further] muddy the Illinois political [waters].

[The] mayor in his letter of challenge, is[sued] to "the Republicans of Illinois," [say]s that such an agreement would [tend] to solidify the Illinois delegation in [favor] of Senator Sherman's presidential [candi]dacy.

[Polit]icians generally understand that [the] personal row between the mayor and [Mr.] West has reached such proportions [tha]t not only endangers the Sherman [boom] but threatens the political futures [of th]e two Republicans who are squab[bling] over the national committeeship.

[W]hat the Mayor Proposes.

[Mr.] West, who departs for Washington [toda]y to attend the national commit[tee se]ssion, was not available for com[ment] last night as to Mayor Thompson's [letter], which follows in part:

"[T]he direct primary law of Illinois was [passe]d that the rank and file of the party [shoul]d have opportunity to express a per[sonal] choice for officials who should rep[resen]t them. That law does not pro[vide f]or a direct vote on candidates for [nation]al committeemen, that office hav[ing be]en apparently overlooked when the [prima]ry law was framed.

"[U]nder the circumstances, and in or[der th]at the people shall rule, the inter[ests o]f party harmony and popular gov[ernm]ent would both be served if the se[lectio]n of a national committeeman [shoul]d be referred to the Republicans of [the] state.

"This can be done in the following [mann]er:

"[I] will forward to the secretary of [state] a petition asking that my name be [place]d upon the official state ballot as a [can]didate for delegate at large to the Re[publi]can national convention, and I here[by u]rge Mr. West and any others who [may] aspire to the position of national [com]mitteeman to do likewise.

"Then let the vote on the several can[dida]tes for delegates to the national con[venti]on be considered as advisory to the [state] delegation in the matter of their [sel]ection of a member of the national [com]mittee, it being understood that the [ca]ndidate for national committeeman [who] receives the highest number of votes [as] delegate at large shall be considered [th]e choice of the rank and file of the party.

"I agree to accept such a verdict as [bi]nding upon me, and will not be a candi[date] for national committeeman should [an]y one who has announced himself, or [sh]all announce himself, receive more [vo]tes than I receive."

On the Other Hand.

Mr. West's friends doubtless will assert [tha]t there is no primary law provision [for] an advisory vote on national commit[tee]man; that Gov. Dunne's extra session [wi]ll provided for primary law amendment [so] that such a provision could be made, [an]d that such an amendment was offered [in] the extra session of the legislature and [s]corned.

Charged with Contempt.

Attorney John Ritchie will appear before [Judge] Rafferty today to show cause why he [sho]uld not be fined for contempt of court.

They Let Defective Baby Die.

Father, Mother, Doctor, Sisters—All Agree That Little One Should Not Live.

Julius Werder, the father, clasping the hand of Dr. Jacob Faltermayer, who refused to permit his child to live; in the upper panel is Mrs. Werder. In the left circle is Doris Werder, 15 years old; in the lower circle Emma Werder, 14 years old; and in the right circle Alma Werder, 12 years old, all daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Werder.

ANOTHER BABY DIES; CASE LIKE BOLLINGER BOY

Grace Werder Called Hopeless Defective at German-American Hospital.

(Continued from first page.)

best action had been taken. The infant which had been taken by a nurse and baptized with the name "Grace" to the joy of the mother had blue eyes and curly hair. But Mr. Werder declared himself content.

"I was not moved by the Bollinger case," he said. "I read little of it. But when these things come home I tell you it's hard to decide other than I have done. I wanted the child to die—though I might have grown to love it.

"I am a believer in prenatal influences and I believe firmly that the sight of a hopeless paralytic in a wheel chair which gave my wife a nervous shock was the cause of this."

That's Right, Says Haiselden.

Dr. Haiselden concurred in this view.

"There is no doubt that monstrous things have their effect on a prospective mother," he said. "And this may have had its effect on Mrs. Werder. The Werder baby could have been saved by an operation for spina bifida which would have drawn the membranes together and thus prevented spinal meningitis, which caused the death of the baby. But it is a thousand times better dead.

"I have just returned from New York, where I was called to view the so-called Roberts baby. This case is worse than the Roberts case plus the Bollinger baby. This child moaned feebly and refused nourishment. It was plainly and impossibly defective."

Father in Tears.

Mr. Werder shed tears as he told of the birth and death of the infant girl.

"I know there are those who will think me hard hearted," he said, "but I did not have the heart to force that baby to live. Dr. Faltermayer told me an operation would save it. But I refused to let him operate. It would have been sin. The baby would have lived for years, perhaps, and every day of its life would have been a curse to me and its mother. I thank God it is dead."

Dr. Haiselden's Trial.

Dr. Haiselden will be tried before the elthical relations committee of the Medical society on charges of unethical conduct in advertising the 'Baby Bollinger case. Dr. Haiselden will be expelled from the society if the verdict is against him.

Charges in writing have been filed within the last few days with Dr. C. E. Humiston, secretary of the society. The complainant's name is withheld by the society for the present. Dr. Humiston notified Dr. Haiselden of the charges and gave him the customary ten days in which to appear before the ethical relations committee and defend himself.

The ethical relations committee is composed of Dr. Henry J. Way of 3501 West Jackson boulevard, chairman; Dr. Henry F Lewis of 4426 Lake Park avenue, and Dr. Jeremiah H. Walsh of 3202 Washington boulevard.

Basis for Charges.

"What is the basis for the charges against Dr. Haiselden?" Dr. Way was asked.

"His self-advertising in writing his biography for a newspaper, I believe," Dr. Way replied.

'Will he be charged with unethical conduct in refusing to operate on the Bollinger baby?"

"Not that I know of," said Dr. Way. "The verdict of the coroner's jury of six physicians of standing was that in the Baby Bollinger case Dr. Haiselden acted 'within his moral and ethical rights.'"

CUTLER, ILL., PRIVATE BANK CLOSES; BAD LOANS CAUSE?

Deposits Aggregate $185,000 and President Promises to Pay Creditors in Full.

Duquoin, Ill., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—The Farmers' Bank of Cutler, Perry county, a private institution with deposits aggregating $185,000, failed to open for business today.

The officers of the bank declare that business has been suspended pending negotiations for a large loan, which they hope will materialize shortly.

D. W. Hawthorne of Steeleville is president of the bank and one of the largest stockholders. The capital stock of the bank is $25,000, distributed among farmers and business men.

The reason assigned for the closing of the bank is the heavy real estate loans made to farmers during the last year. The crops have been bad, and necessarily forced an extension of the loans.

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FIRES THREATEN BUSINESS SECTION OF SPRINGFIELD.

Boston Store Destroyed with $250,000 Loss—Pawnbroker Held on Arson Charge.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 7.—Four fires burning simultaneously in different parts of Springfield today threatened for several hours to defeat the efforts of the firemen and destroy the business section of the city. It was said tonight that $250,000 would cover the damage.

A careful check by the owners of the Boston store disproved early rumors that some of the salesgirls had been trapped in the building.

A pawnshop adjoining the department store at the rear was discovered to be in flames about noon, an hour after the Boston store fire started.

The owner of the pawnshop, Sam Sabnotika, was arrested later on a warrant charging arson, sworn out by State Fire Marshal ennett.

The third fire was several blocks from the Boston store in an old frame hotel in what was the segregated vice district until the recent order of Sheriff John Wheeler, closing all brothels in Sangamon county.

New Jersey Building Burned.

Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 7.—A spectacular fire raged this afternoon in a big riding academy and garage near the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd piers, where lie fourteen German liners, among them the Vaterland, the President Lincoln, and the Kaiser Wilhelm II.

MINNESOTA IS IN TOW OF RESCUING STEAMER AND TUG

Wireless Message Throws No Additional Light on the Big Liner's Mishap.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 7.—The wrecking steamer Iaqua and the tug Dauntless sent from here last Friday to the assistance of the disabled steamer Minnesota reached the vessel at 8 o'clock this morning and took her in tow, according to a radio message from the Iaqua received here tonight by C. W. Wiley, marine superintendent of the Great Northern Steamship company. The brief message contained nothing that would throw additional light on the big liner's mishaps.

Judge to Play Santa.

A Christmas tree will be placed in the Court of Domestic Relations during Christmas week. Judge Hopkins has agreed to play the rôle of Santa Claus.

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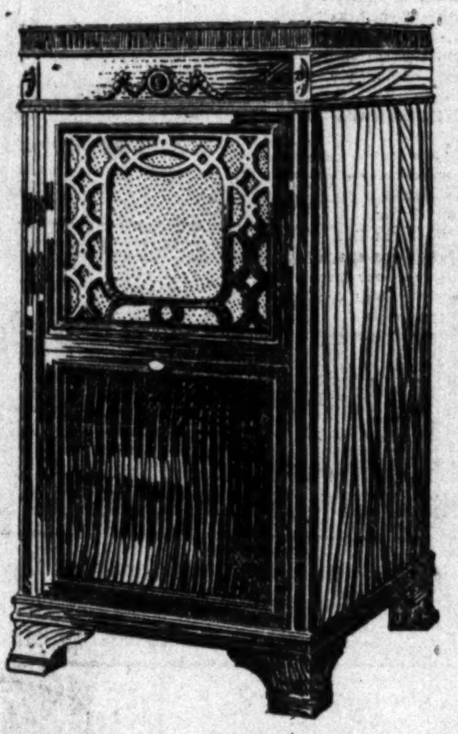

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FORMER WIFE OF PRICE ASSERTS HE DIVORCED HER

Aurora Woman Says He Beat Her After Hand to Mouth Life.

Aurora, Ill., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Mrs. Rose Roddan, who before her marriage to Fred Price was Miss Rose Smith, a social worker, said tonight that she was not surprised at the charges against her first husband, who is accused in Minneapolis of having killed his third wife.

Mrs. Roddan is still doing social work among the poor with the Volunteers of America and at first was not inclined to discuss her connection with Price.

Met Him in Neenah.

"I met him in Neenah, Wis., in 1896," she said, "and he was persistent in his attentions to me. I refused him at first, but afterward felt more kindly toward him. He exaggerated his age, I think, for I do not believe he could have been more than 17 years old when I met him. I believe he is about 36 now.

"He followed me to Wheaton, Ill., where I was engaged in social work, and there he proposed again and held out inducements of the vast wealth that was coming to him. His wealth faded, however, for when we were married he borrowed money from my brother.

"We went to Decatur, Ill., and then to Wyandotte, Mich., where he got a place in a trunk factory. We had saved up about $200 and with this we bought a small grocery. I operated the grocery while he kept his place in the trunk factory.

"Has Nasty Temper."

"For the first four years of our marriage he was kind and provided well. But he has a nasty temper and then began abusing me. He never was violent in the presence of friends, but showed his cowardice by beating me when we were alone. Finally I could stand his abuse no longer, and I left him at Flat Rock, Mich. He had confessed to me that he had been an inmate of the reform school at Waukesha and he proved it to my entire satisfaction.

"He went back to Neenah, Wis., and then later got a divorce at Green Bay, Wis., charging desertion. He wrote me from Neenah asking me to come back, but I had had enough. Then he upbraided me and said he should have married a woman with money. The divorce was granted in 1902.

Saw Him in Chicago.

"I saw him last in Chicago when I met him on the street in 1906. He was very downcast and told me that he had been grieving over the death of his wife and baby. I did not sympathize with him because I believed little in his sincerity.

"Last August a detective from Minneapolis called on me and told me that Price was dead and had left me a large amount of money. But later he told me that Price was under charges. I have heard nothing of him since until this matter came up."

ETCHISON STAGES HIS STORY.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Charles D. Etchison was the stage manager and complete cast of a play which was enacted here today.

The first scene was the lip of a dizzy fifty foot cliff along the southeast river drive, near the Mississippi river. Here, said Etchison, was where Frederick T. Price of Minneapolis halted his automobile on the evening of Nov. 28, 1914.

"It's a trumped-up story," asserted Price. "I'll prove my innocence."

SON OF ILLINOIS FARMER.

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 7.—Charles D. Etchison, accused of being an accomplice in the killing of Mrs. Frederick T. Price of Minneapolis, is a son of George W. Etchison, living northwest of Blue Mound, Ill. The family did not know of his implication until the alleged confession appeared in the paper. The members of the family knew, however, that he was in the automobile the night of the death.

HOTEL MEN TO OPEN WAR ON VICE IN THEIR HOUSES.

Propose Law to Make It a Misdemeanor to Register Under Assumed Name.

American hotel men have begun an organized fight against vice. At the semiannual conference of the National Congress of American Hotelmen's association, to be held at the Great Northern hotel Friday and Saturday, bills will be drafted to be introduced in legislatures. These bills will have for their objects the stopping of disreputable places operating under the name of hotel, and preventing reputable hotels being victimized by disreputable persons.

"Reputable hotels have too long had a stigma cast upon them," said J. K. Blatchford of the Chicago association, "through the fact that any disorderly house that chooses can call itself a hotel. The disorderly houses have no right to use the word hotel and we intend to see that they no longer use it, if we can prevent it.

"A bill will be drawn to make it a misdemeanor in any state to register at a hotel under an assumed name. We believe that by throwing a legal punishment upon the man in these vice cases we can suppress a great part of this traffic in legitimate hotels."

PRAISES MUNDELEIN AS NEW CITY ARCHBISHOP.

Bonzano, Papal Delegate to United States, Meets Mexican Refugee Bishops at Hospital.

"The Chicago diocese is heartily to be congratulated on the choice of men which brings Bishop George Mundelein to Chicago as its new archbishop. He will be a great power for good in this city."

The above statement was delivered to newspaper men yesterday by the Most Rev. John Bonzano, papal delegate to the United States, who is in the city to invest the Rev. Father M. Fitzsimmons in his new office of monsignor. The ceremony will be held this morning at the Holy Name cathedral.

The day was spent in the company of Chancellor E. F. Hoban of the cathedral visiting Catholic institutions.

After searching for the apostolic delegate for nearly six hours he was found at the Columbus hospital. He refused to grant an interview with newspaper men, explaining that he was fatigued from his journey.

At the hospital the delegate conferred with several Mexican refugee bishops on conditions there.

AGED WOMAN DIES BY FIRE.

Flaming Clothing Causes Fatal Burns—Two Others Suffer in Rescue Attempt.

Mrs. Frances Etckorn, 68 years old, a widow, was fatally burned when her clothing caught fire in the kitchen of her home, 2043 West Twenty-second place, yesterday. Her son-in-law, Henry Miller, 44 years old, with whom she lived, and his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, 41 years old, were also seriously burned when they rushed to her aid. They will recover.

Mrs. Mary J. Deeley, 7146 Union avenue, died yesterday at St. Bernard's hospital as a result of burns suffered when her dress caught fire from burning papers.

HALPIN CHARGES LETTERS MAY BE 'PART OF PLOT'

Loses Temper When Heckled Over Harrison and McWeeney Epistles.

Capt. John J. Halpin, former head of the detective bureau, on trial on graft charges, underwent a severe cross examination at the hands of Assistant State's Attorney Frank Johnston yesterday. Smarting under repeated attacks by the prosecutor, the former chief angrily charged that letters purporting to have been sent him by former Chief of Police McWeeny and former Mayor Harrison might be part of a plot to "job" him into a cell.

Halpin disclaimed knowledge of so much of the work of the detective bureau during 1911, 1912, and 1913 that Prosecutor Johnston inquired if it wasn't his business to know what was going on. The court ruled the question out, but later, when Halpin denied that he had anything to do with the McWeeny and Harrison letters relating to complaints about clairvoyants, Mr. Johnston asked:

"Did you ever, in your capacity as chief of the detective bureau, pay any attention to its correspondence?"

Capt. Halpin replied that it all had to go through the hands of his secretary, Sergt. Frank Shannessy, first, and that he could not know of it until the secretary brought it to him.

"Why would Shannessy fail to call your attention to important letters from General Superintendent of Police John McWeeny and from Mayor Carter H. Harrison?" Mr. Johnston continued.

"I don't know," the witness replied.

When Mr. Johnston tried to force from him the admission that the letters were a part of the files of the detective bureau, Capt. Halpin became angry and exclaimed:

"They may be a part of the job on me."

"What's that?" Judge Baldwin interposed.

"They may be a part of the job that is being put up on me."

Asks About Skidmore.

Attorney Johnston began his cross-examination by endeavoring to link together the captain and William R. Skidmore, the west side saloonkeeper, who was so severely grilled on Monday.

Q.—Why were you in 1912 transferred to the Warren avenue police station? A.—I requested it because I wanted to be nearer my home.

Q.—When did you first become acquainted with "Billy" Skidmore? A.—When I went to the Warren avenue station.

Capt. Halpin denied that for the last year he and Carmody, O'Brien and Dempsey had made Skidmore's saloon their rendezvous.

Goes Into Ross Arrest.

Severe questioning as to the arrest of D. K. Ross (Harry Waite) followed. Halpin had told of having ordered Detectives Carmody and O'Brien to arrest Ross and Bertsche because of a report he had received from a Hilda Curran that Ross was paying Bertsche $25 a month with which to buy protection from the police. They had all been brought to the detective bureau, Capt. Halpin said, where Ross and Bertsche had denied the charges.

Q.—When you received the complaint, did Hilda Curran tell you Ross' address? A.—I don't remember that she did.

Q.—Did you tell Carmody and O'Brien where they could find Ross? A.—No, sir.

Q.—How could you or they know where to get him, then? A.—I saw his advertisement in a daily paper O'Brien had and showed to me.

Denies All Charges.

Flat denials that he had accepted from "Barney" Bertsche $500 in Frank Ryan's clairvoyant parlor, or that he had ever seen Ryan until the latter appeared in court to testify against him, were made by Halpin on direct examination earlier in the day. One meeting in the Lambs' café was admitted by the witness.

"Mr. Bertsche was combing his hair," the captain said, "and made some remark to me about his baldness. I replied 'yes, you are pretty clean on top.'"

Q.—Was that all the conversation? A.—Yes, absolutely all.

Then the question of the registered letter, alleged by the state to have contained $100, sent by Bertsche to Halpin as a "protection" payment, was taken up.

Q.—Did you receive a registered letter while you were in Hot Springs in March, 1913? A.—Yes, sir. I did.

Q.—What was it? A.—It was a letter from Mr. Corbett (Smiley Corbett, proprietor of the Lambs café), and contained $100.

MISS LOVE GIVEN A CHANCE.

Gets Permission to File Petition to Clear Her Name in Divorce Scandal.

Miss Helen Love, mentioned in the divorce proceedings of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Derby, was given permission yesterday to file an intervening petition for the purpose of clearing her name.

She is accused by Mrs. Jeanette Purdy Derby of affairs with Derby. This is denied by the young woman.

"Miss Love is about to be married," said Judge Kersten, "and her petition is admitted before her marriage so she may establish her character."

Miss Love refuses to tell the name of her fiancé.

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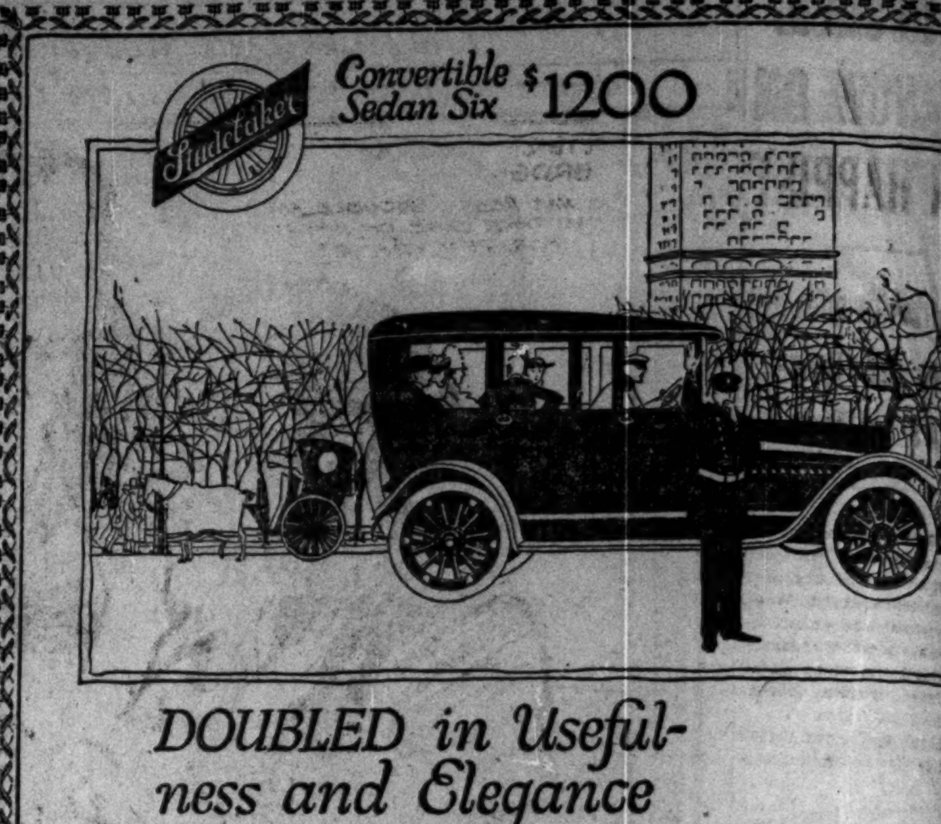

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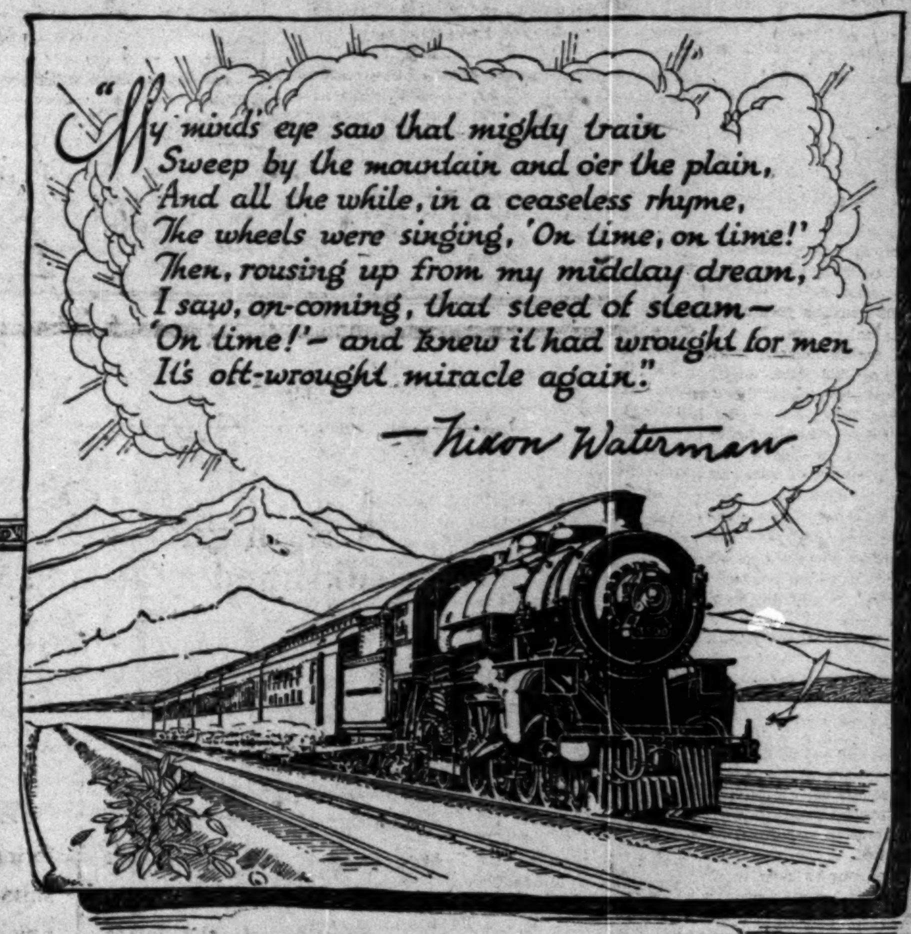

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Aged Married Couples at County Farm Are Reunited in "Homes" of Their Own.

"It's good to be together again, Pete." Mrs. Clara Brogren, 78 years old, lifted her eyes from her knitting and rested them on her husband at Oak Forest. "It'll soon be Christmas, and we can be thankful that we are together at last."

"We haven't got much except each other," Peter Brogren, 75 years old, spoke without bitterness. The weather beaten old man had borne the stings of an unkind fate too long to complain at anything.

"We'll go on now to the end together." A mist filmed Mrs. Brogren's eyes. "And, Pete, I don't think the road will be much longer."

"We're in out of the cold, warm and snug, with plenty to eat and kind treatment. We ought to be contented."

"When you come to think about it, Pete, we never had much in our lives except each other. Your heart never was strong, and now I can take care of you as I always used to do."

Supt. Bailey also proposed to unite Coleman and Bridget Conley, 60 and 50, and Thomas and Louise Bujak, 75 and 77, now living in separate wards. Both husbands expressed delight at the idea. Both wives reneged.

"No thank you," said Mrs. Conley. "I lived with Cole too long as it was."

"Never again," declared Mrs. Bujak. "I've had enough of Tom to last me a lifetime."

Gives His Last $400.

Mr. and Mrs. Hochmeister moved out to the infirmary two weeks ago. He had worked in flour mills all his life. They had had much sickness in the family and when the old man found that age had shut the door of employment against him he had $400 in the bank. He turned this over to the county authorities for the privilege of passing the remainder of his days with his wife at Oak Forest.

"It's not home exactly," sighed Mrs. Hochmeister, "but we ought to be happy here."

Deering had passed his life as a hod-carrier, at which he made $2.50 a day. He and his wife have been inmates of the poorhouse for five years.

"I'm too old," said Deering. "There's no work in the world for an old man. This is a young man's world."

Misfortune, it would seem, has pursued the Hargadons like a Nemesis. They buried seven children, and the last child alive, now grown to manhood, left them and they haven't heard from him for seven years. The wife has been blind for eight years.

Aged Are Reunited.

Mr. and Mrs. Brogren for two years have been inmates of the Oak Forest infirmary, Cook county's poor farm since Dunning was taken over by the state as a hospital for the insane. Until two weeks ago they had lived apart, he in the men's ward and she in the ward for women. Then Supt. Henry L. Bailey decided to put the old people together. In the cheery south end of the immense building he opened the "Old Couples' home." Five husbands and wives, living apart in the institution, were united in this cozy retreat and now seem in a fair way to "live happily ever after" in the fashion of the story books.

These couples, in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Brogren, are:

Henry and Minnie Hochmeister, 67 and 71 years old.

Edward and Mary Hargadon, 59 and 57.

Fred and Augusta Deering, 75 and 85.

Joseph and Anna Hooray, 50 and 69.

Prepare for More.

There are twenty-eight rooms in the "Old Couples' home." Each room in time, according to Supt. Bailey's plans, is to be a home in which an aged pair may live united to the end.

Three more couples now in the institution will begin housekeeping together next week. These are: James and Catherine Doyle, 79 and 75 years old; Peter and Maggie Deegan, 66 and 60, and Dennis and Tillie Wilsey, 52 and 56.

"For eighteen years we had a doctor in the house almost every day," said Hargadon. "My wife was a patient at St. Joseph's hospital for two years. That's the way my money went. It's no wonder we're in the poorhouse."

Married on $8 a Week.

Mr. Hooray is a tailor who lost a leg when 17 years old. He and his wife have been in the infirmary three years. She has been paralyzed for eight years.

"I used to make $8 a week," said Hooray. "I married on those wages and my wife and I lived comfortably. We paid $5 a month for a two room flat. She did the cooking and once or twice in my life I managed to save $20 or $30."

They Smile at Age and Poverty.

PART OF BODY FOUND ON CAR

Bundle Supposed to Have Been Forgotten by Medical Student Starts Investigation.

A brown paper bundle believed to have been forgotten by a medical student was found on a south bound Cottage Grove avenue car late yesterday afternoon and when opened in the Thirty-eighth street car barns was found to contain a part of a human body. The police were notified and started an investigation. An undertaker said the flesh had probably been removed from the body within twenty-four hours.

MERRY WAR IN EVANSTON, WITH SCHOOLBOY NEUTRAL

North and South Are Divided Over High School and Heavy Advertising Artillery Is Booming.

Evanston has everything that goes with war except neutrality.

But stay. Perhaps the schoolboy will do for the innocent neutral.

The casus belli is the site of the new $500,000 high school. Davis street divides the town in two camps—the "mace and dickens" line of Evanston. North of Davis street every one is pulling for the site on the sewage canal at Lincoln street. South of Davis street they want it located at Greenwood street and Asbury avenue.

Store windows, street car frames, elevated platforms are ablaze with posters pleading each side of the case. The daily papers carry ads urging the respective merits of each site.

And the election will be held Saturday. Which is where the innocent boy qualifies as the neutral. He's got to go to it no matter where they put it.

Mashes Finger; Dies of Lockjaw.

Fred Hubert, 3608 Indiana avenue, a horse dealer, died yesterday in the county hospital of lockjaw. Several days ago he mashed the middle finger of his right hand with a hammer. On the third day pain developed and became worse until he went to the hospital.

BIG VOTE IS EXPECTED ON BOARD OF TRADE RULE.

Large Delegation of Eastern Members Coming to Oppose Increased Wire Charge.

A big delegation of eastern members of the board of trade is expected in Chicago to vote on an amendment to the rules which proposes to charge private wire houses $10 a month for each branch office to which board of trade quotations are furnished.

It is expected there will be the biggest representation of out of town members of the board in many years, most of the outside members being against the proposition. The present charge for the board of trade quotations is $2 a month.

The proposed amendment not only proposes to raise the charge for quotations, but branch offices and correspondents of firms will be obliged to permit the strictest scrutiny of their books at any time by auditors working for the board of trade.

PUTS POLICE ON METTLE.

Capt. Wesley H. Westbrook summoned the officers under his command to the Maxwell street courtroom yesterday to consider methods for coping with the winter crime wave in the precincts under his command. "I am going to keep tab on each of you," he said, "and on your efficiency. I expect you to put forth your best efforts and I want results."

SUE TO BREAK $600,000 WILL OF LATE WILLIAM H. GODAIR.

Nephews and Nieces Attack Bequest of $400,000 for Old People's Home.

There isn't going to be any Godair Memorial Old People's home if six of the heirs at law of the late William H. Godair, real estate operator and stock broker, have their way. They filed a bill in the Circuit court to break Mr. Godair's will. He left a $600,000 estate, and of this two-thirds, or $400,000, will be used for an old people's home if his will successfully resists the attack. The complainants, all nephews and nieces of the dead man, are Harriet M. Teter, Moorland, Ia.; Mrs. Margaret McAbee, Chicago; O. Eugene Teter, Vancouver, Wash.; George D. Teter, Moorland, Ia.; and Florence E. Adamson, Zortman, Mont.

MRS. PULVER GIVEN DIVORCE

Judge Charles A. McDonald yesterday granted Mrs. Delphine Donahue Pulver a divorce from Irving L. Pulver, son of the late Arthur W. Pulver, general counsel for the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, on grounds of infidelity. The decree directs that Mrs. Pulver shall receive as alimony $5,000, now held in trust, upon the death of young Pulver's grandmother, Mrs. Margaret B. Marsh.

BAPTIST BIBLE STUDENTS BOLT

Young Women Dissatisfied Go on Strike with Their Teacher.

QUESTION STANDARDS.

BY THE REV. W. B. NORTON.

The threatened bolt of students at the Baptist missionary training school, 2969 Vernon avenue, took place yesterday as scheduled.

Miss Mary Anna Barnett, teacher of the Bible, resigned. Twenty-four of the women students followed her leadership. Several, it was said, returned to their homes in other towns and cities.

A Baptist pastor who was present at the hearing before the board of managers said there would be several resignations among the board of managers and a withdrawal of support of certain persons who believe the school is departing from the Baptist standards of teaching.

Mrs. Washington Laycock, chairman of the board of managers, and Mrs. A. G. Lester, one of the leading members, declined to make a statement.

At the meeting of the board of managers the bolting students were permitted to testify as to the nature of the teachings permitted in the school.

The board then went into executive session without comment, except a promise the students' cases would be considered.

Last night a committee of fifteen alumnæ of the school held a meeting in a downtown office where they discussed their future plans.

"We do not object to teaching liberal views of the Bible if they are taught only as theories," said Miss Barnett, "but we object to teaching these things as though they are true."

A Baptist pastor who said he did not want to be mixed up in the trouble said he believed the school would keep on without any particular break.

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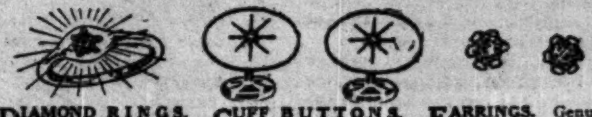

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COULON READY TO BOX ERTLE IN COMEBACK

Gary Promoters Make an Offer to Bantams for January Show.

BY RAY C. PEARSON.

Johny Coulon of Chicago vs. Johnny Ertle of St. Paul!

How'd that look for a match? This isn't a dream yarn, for the former bantamweight champion, when sounded on the proposition yesterday, informed promoters of the Gary Athletic club that he would be ready to meet the little St. Paul whirlwind at their January show.

No one doubts that Ertle will grab the chance to exchange wallops with the Logan Square boy, so it was up to the promoters to find out smething of Coulon's plans. Therefore Tommy Walsh, lcal matchmaker for the Gary club, hunted up Coulon and sprung the question.

"Ready for Action"—Coulon.

"Sure, I'm ready for action," answered Coulon. "I have been figuring on scrapping in Kansas City about Jan. 25, and a bout with Ertle would help me to find out just how good I am. I never felt better in my life and I'm hankering for a battle."

With Coulon practically clinched, the matchmakers sent a telegram to Mike McNulty, Ertle's manager, who is in the east at present. If Ertle accepts it looks as if the folks who see Gary bouts have a speed treat in store next month.

Tom Andrews Seeks Bout.

Tom Andrews, the Milwaukee promoter, was in the city yesterday looking for a match. Andrews wants to find an opponent for Richie Mitchell, the Brewery city favorite, and favors either Joe Mandot or Joe Rivers. He found the managers of both boys ready to make a match, but Mandot's manager didn't like the terms offered and balked. Bob Lagga, who looks after Rivers' interests, is considering Andrews' bid. The tentative date is Dec. 27.

Ever Hammer, who is to battle Joe Sherman in the windup at Gary Friday night, took another whirl at Joe Welling at Forbes' gymnasium and surprised the fans by his speed. Hammer is showing form which makes it look as if Sherman has a tough job on his hands. Welling was to have left for New York last night to join Manager Larney Lichtenstein, but has decided to wait another week before going east to battle.

Pal Brown to Fight Again.

"Wee Joe" Thomas, former trainer of Charley White, who is now in Duluth, Minn., managing Pal Brown, the Hibbing lightweight, and training big Fred Fulton, writes that he has matched Brown for a bout with Matty McCue at Duluth on Dec. 17. Thomas says that Brown hasn't fought for eight months because of a motorcycle accident which damaged his eyes, but that an examination by a specialist shows that Brown is ready to resume boxing.

Pete Krust and Mike Oswego have been matched to box at East Chicago on Dec. 22. The weight will be 116 pounds at 3 o'clock.

Matty Ryan and Otto Sieloff yesterday were matched to box ten rounds in private on Dec. 21. The weight will be 133 pounds at 3 o'clock.

DILLON SCRAPS FLYNN TO DRAW

New York, Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Jack Dillon of Indianapolis fought a slashing ten round draw with Porky Flynn of Boston at the Broadway Sporting club, Brooklyn, tonight. Flynn, who weighed 195 pounds and looked heavier, had twenty-two pounds advantage in weight. This he used with his superior reach and strength to hold off Dillon. In the matter of boxing Porky proved himself master. He pecked Dillon's face with his left and shot over many a haymaking right swing to the body, especially in the closing rounds.

REFEREE DISQUALIFIES CHIP.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—After having batted Jeff Smith of Bayonne, N. J., all the way round the ring for the best part of seven rounds, George Chip of Pittsburgh was disqualified tonight by "Young Donahue," the referee. There is no doubt that had the bout gone to a finish Chip would have been proclaimed winner.

PUGILISTIC POINTERS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Young Jack Toland of Philadelphia outpointed "K. O." Joe O'Donnell of Gloucester, N. J., in six rounds.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Lightweight Johnny Howard of Bayonne, N. J., knocked out Glen Coakley of Fort Wayne, Ind., in the fifth round.

Norristown, Pa., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Tommy O'Keefe of Philadelphia and Kid Thomas, who claims the lightweight title of France, were unsuccessful in settling their old time grudge because the boys made the grudge so realistic that the referee stopped the bout in the seventh round on account of rough tactics.

GALVIN, WISCONSIN, RULED OUT OF COLLEGE SPORT.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Finality was put to the case of Malcolm Galvin today when he was ruled out of all college athletics during the remainder of his course. Although they did not find him guilty of professionalism through having played summer baseball for money, the faculty members ruled that Galvin misrepresented on his eligibility sheets. Galvin ignored filling out the blanks asking athletic team candidates if they ever engaged in baseball. Galvin did play baseball at Glendive, Mont., but the investigation disclosed that he did not play for money.

ILLINI BOOK 1916 GAME WITH COLGATE ELEVEN.

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Colgate's scrappy little football team will be imported from the east next fall to furnish a stiff workout in the early training season for Bob Zuppke's Illini. Colgate will play on Illinois field on Oct. 14, the second game of the season. Zuppke's desire to have hard preliminary games resulted in the dating of the easterners.

MODERN HEROES.

NATATORS UNDER BAN WILL SWIM TONIGHT; PROTEST GOES EAST

BY KEENE GARDINER.

Final action on the four C. A. A. swimmers who drew suspensions from the Central A. A. U. on charges of professionalism based on their activities as life guards will be up to the registration committee of the National A. A. U.

Documents giving the athletes' side of the case were submitted to H. F. Keator, chairman of the registration committee of the Central A. A. U., yesterday by Martin Delaney, the C. A. A. athletic director, and will be immediately forwarded to the athlete's court of last resort. The facts and papers were prepared by Norman C. B. Cox, Cherry Circle tank coach.

Keator Stands Pat.

Action on the appeals will be impossible before the C. A. A.-University of Chicago swimming meet tonight, in which Farrell, Olson, and Pavlicek, three of the suspended men, are entered. The athletes will take part under protest, Pavlicek, Maroon swimming captain, competing for his team against the club.

"The papers are going east without any recommendations from me," Keator said yesterday. "There is no objection to the men competing under protest. What I thought of the cases I showed by my action. There have been many of these cases following the activities of men as life guards, and I can guess at the ruling of the national committee."

Cherry Circle Favorite.

The C. A. A. will be a favorite for the meet tonight. Edward O'Connor, a star of the Maroon team, will be unable to compete on account of illness, and Capt. Pavlicek also will be hampered by a sore foot. After the swimming events, the two teams will play a water polo contest. Entries:

50 yard swim—C. A. A., Rawleigh, Ralph Huszagh; Maroons, Pavlicek, O'Connor, Meine, Earle.

Plunge—C. A. A., Lichter, Olmsted; Maroons, Redmon, Harper, Windrow.

100 yard swim—C. A. A., Ken Huszagh, R. Huszagh, Rawleigh, Wood; Maroons, Pavlicek, O'Connor, Earle, Meine, Midkiff.

100 yard breast stroke—C. A. A., S. Taylor, O'Meara, Chapman; Maroons, Shirley, Loeb.

Diving—C. A. A., Heyn, R. Huszagh, Burton; Maroons, Rubinkam, Davis.

100 yard backstroke—C. A. A., G. Taylor, Farrell, Olson; Maroons, Pavlicek, Meine, Shirley, Earle.

220 yard swim—C. A. A., Steuer, Wood, Griffen, Hayford; Maroons, Earle, O'Connor, Meine.

40 yard dash—C. A. A., Briggs, Powers, Conybear, Pickel, A. Van Vlissingen, Olson, Chapman; Maroons, Crawford.

Relay—C. A. A., K. Huszagh, R. Huszagh, J. Rawleigh, Wood; Maroons, Pavlicek, Earle, Meine, O'Connor, Pritzker.

Water polo—C. A. A., Burton, Van Vlissingen, Farrell, S. Taylor, Powers, G. Taylor, Chapman, Braimner; Maroons, Shirley, Meine, Midkiff, Pavlicek, Earle, O'Connor, Pritzker, Burcky, Clark.

HARMONY IN SOCCER RANKS

Without a dissenting vote delegates of the Chicago District Association Football league and the Association Football League of Chicago at a meeting held last night at the Great Northern hotel ratified all actions taken by these bodies during the season. This put a quietus on the Hyde Park Blues' controversy.

Two games will be played in the first division of the league Sunday afternoon, Bricklayers meeting Joliet at Comiskey park and Pullman meeting the Campbell Rovers at Fifty-second avenue and Madison street. The McDuffs and Blues will replay their national cup match at the McDuffs field.

Matches in the other divisions of the league will be played as scheduled, except that the Corinthians and Swedish have played their match. The Swedish team will play Kenwood at the Chicago Americans' field.

Loyola Players Receive Letters.

Youngsters who labored for Loyola academy on the gridiron this season were rewarded yesterday when fourteen players were given the official "L" and sweaters at the school auditorium by Martin A. Delaney of the C. A. A. The following were awarded emblems: Joe Duffy, Jostin Duffy [captain], Coleman, Lyman, McDonough, Eisner, Coogan, Brown, Martin, O'Rourke, Hardy, Loftus, Mahoney, O'Neill, Morgan, and Bill Himmerich, manager.

SPORTING NEWS NOTES

BASKETBALL.

Central Park Presbyterians beat Austin Baracas, 15-11, at Austin High school, winning on two baskets by Richards in the last minute.

St. Jarlath's lightweights have open dates Friday and Wednesday evenings and want games with 115 pound basket teams at the Jarlath gym. Call Ravenswood 7345.

Olivet Owls beat the First National Bank No. 2 five, 19 to 17, and are after games with 125 pound teams having their own gyms. Write W. A. Bergener, 4358 West Monroe street.

Sheridan A. C. has organized for the season with former high school players and is after games with 140 pound teams. In Chicago, St. James, Wellington M. E., or Hamlin Clippers teams are preferred; out of town games are desired with Hammond, Whiting, Gary, or Aurora. Phone D. F. Curtis, Wellington 3144, or write him at 726 Waveland avenue.

Dodgers are no longer represented in the West Side Basketball league and have open dates for contests with 125-135 pound fives playing in Chicago or out of town. Address D. G. Friedman, 1410 South Springfield avenue.

Wabash outlaws will meet St. Stanislaus Juniors tonight at the latter's basketball floor. For games with Outlaws address C. A. Cousins, 3610 Prairie avenue.

INDOOR BASEBALL.

Central Turners will play Onawa A. C. indoor team Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Turner gym, 2046 West North avenue.

Edson Keith and Eckart park indoor teams will clash at West Park No. 2 today.

Beaconsfield lodge K. of P. indoor baseball champions of Illinois and Indiana have organized and are after games. Trainings and Crescents preferred. Call Lawndale 8206 for games.

Nationals will play Dvorak park juniors at the Dvorak indoor grounds.

Tonti and Brownson councils, K. of C., will play for second honors in the league tonight at Addison street and Hermitage avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Vavriceks took three straight games from Iolas in the White Rock Bowling league at Long's alleys. Huckle shot 213 in the last game for the winners.

LOYOLA QUINTET PILES UP SCORE

Loyola academy basketball players opened their season by trouncing the Morgan Park Methodist Episcopal quintet, 45 to 15, on the academy floor. The visitors' guards were unable to prevent the Catholic prep forwards from scoring, the Loyola pair totaling thirteen baskets between them. In the curtain raiser Loyola Midgets beat the Rogers Park Invincibles, 34 to 10. Lineup:

Loyola Acad. [45].		Morgan Pk. M. E. [15].
McDonough	R. F.	Sturges
Lyman	L. F.	Stett
Carroll	C.	Stevenson
Fouse	R. G.	Sedgwick
Loftus	L. G.	Berger

Baskets—McDonough [7], Lyman [6], Loftus [6], Carroll [2], Fouse, Sturges [3], Stevenson, Stett. Free throws—Lyman, Sturges [3], Stevenson [2].

THIRTEENTH FOR ST. JAMES.

The St. James Episcopal basketball team won its thirteenth straight game last night, beating the Sacramento Methodist Episcopal five, 51 to 11. Schuette of the St. James team tossed six baskets in the first five minutes of play, then was hurt and had to retire. Lineup:

St. James [51].		Sacramento M. E. [11].
Schuette, Robertson	R. F.	Gallagher
Wenrich	L. F.	Allaire, Quinn
Anderson	C.	Kenner
Wolfe, Gent	R. G.	Clark, Vallette
Raymond, Schwann	L. G.	Nusbaum

Baskets—Schuette [6], Robertson [5], Wenrich [9], Anderson [2], Gent [3], Quinn, Kenner, Vallette [2]. Free throws—Robertson, Kenner [3].

St. Cyrils Beat Alumni.

St. Cyril's academy had an easy time winning the annual contest against the alumni last night, 38 to 4. Neither team won a point on free throws. Cook and Kowalski starred for the preps, the former with eight baskets and the latter with seven.

IOWA WANTS ITS BASEBALL.

Iowa City, Ia., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Prof. N. A. Kellogg of Iowa university, director of the board in control of athletics, said today that Iowa was opposed to the abolition of baseball in the big nine. He added that "the action will doubtless be protested by one or more schools, in which event Iowa will play its schedule." Baseball has been self-supporting or almost so at Iowa.

DE PAUL TEAM HOME; EASTERN FANS WANT GAME WITH EVERETT

BY OTTO A. ENGEL.

De Paul academy football players, led by Coach Joseph Paupa and Father Gorman, returned to Chicago yesterday morning from their triumphant invasion of the east and were cheered by 300 De Paul students. Unless an urgent call comes from Everett High of Boston, the conquerors of the Beverly Mass., eleven will discard their football togs until next fall.

While in the east several Boston business men approached the Chicagoans in the hope of securing a game between De Paul and Everett for the coming Saturday. Because Everett was playing in Detroit last Saturday no satisfactory arrangements could be made, although these Boston merchants were willing to pay the expenses of the squad until the return of the Everett team.

Uncertain Weather a Barrier.

Now these men are dickering with Everett to take De Paul back for a game on Dec. 18, but because of the uncertainty of the weather and another hard trip eastward, the contest probably will be put off until next year. Coach Paupa is confident that a game will be arranged for the second Saturday following Thanksgiving day in 1916.

If such a game is definitely decided upon De Paul also plans to play Niagara academy, at Niagara, N. Y., on the way to the Hub. This game has been tentatively scheduled for a Wednesday preceding the Everett contest.

Great Reception by Students.

Upon their arrival the De Paul squad was driven to the school in taxicabs elaborately decorated in academy colors. Later a holiday was declared for all and a massmeeting followed with speeches by Father Gorman, Paupa, and the players. In appreciation of a successful season the alumni of the school will give the boys a banquet in Germania hall Thursday night, at which time a captain and manager will be chosen for next year.

Showing marks of the automobile accident shortly before their departure for home, Father Gorman is wearing plasters over the bridge of his nose, while his forehead is badly bruised. Paupa's condition is similar, and he has a broken nose. He said it was the fourth time it had been broken.

GAME TO HOLY TRINITY, 7-1.

Holy Trinity High school defeated St. Philip's High at De Soto hall yesterday afternoon. Boras struck out twenty-seven opponents, allowing three hits. Score:

H. Trinity.	R	H	P	A	St. Philips.	R	H	P	A
C'winski, rs.	1	2	0	0	Adams, 1b	0	0	8	0
Piaveski, 1b.	1	1	7	1	Farrell, rs.	0	0	0	0
Lisewski, rf.	1	1	1	1	Faughlan, ls.	0	2	3	0
Boras, p.	0	3	0	0	Page, 3b.	0	0	0	0
Zielinski, c.	2	2	26	1	Kennedy, c.	0	0	16	0
Lew'd'ski, 3b.	0	1	0	0	Preib, 2b.	0	0	0	0
Sv'ski, 2b.	1	0	0	0	Finnegan, rf.	0	0	0	0
Glus, lf.	0	0	1	0	Burke, lf.	0	0	0	0
Nowa'ski, ls.	0	0	0	0	McElheny, p.	0	0	0	0
					Costello, rf.	0	0	0	0
					Callahan	0	0	0	0
Totals	7	10	27	3	Totals	1	3	27	3

Holy Trinity ... 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 3—7
St. Philip's ... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Errors—Faughlan, Kennedy [2], Preib, McElheny. Two base hits—Boras [2]. Struck out—Boras, 27; McElheny, 15. Bases on balls—Boras, 4; McElheny, 3. Umpire—C. Pechous.

"N'S" FOR 22 PURPLE MEN.

Twenty-two members of the Northwestern university football squad received their "N" yesterday afternoon in Patten gymnasium. The regulars and substitute players who had participated in the last two games of the season were presented with Northwestern blankets and football sweaters. Those awarded their letters were:

Austin Stromberg, Pierre Steinbrenner, Frank Patterson, E. P. Williams, M. P. Underhill, Leonard Rose, Leo Driscoll, E. J. Smith, Robert Randolph, Russell McCurdy, Frank Crane, Fred Norman, John Ulrich, Edward Hirn, Bligh Grasset, Lawrence Eck, Charles Zenger, Wallace Treat, Romney Strickler, Ralph Strader, John Thomas, Lester Arries.

Lindsey to Captain Kansas.

Lawrence, Kas., Dec. 7.—Adrian H. Lindsey of Kingfisher, Okla., was elected captain of the 1916 football team of the University of Kansas tonight.

TRAPP-HAHN DUO PASSES LEADERS IN PIN TOURNEY

Eck's Colts Pair Goes to Top in Doubles of City Meet; Only Upset of Day.

New leaders showed up in the two man event in the Chicago Bowling association tournament yesterday when Louis Hahn and Adolph Trapp, two of Eck's Colts, toppled 1,268, twenty pins ahead of the mark held by the Dernbach brothers. None of the other leaders were displaced.

Eck's representatives shot a great series in which one error by Hahn and two railroads by Trapp proved the only open frames. Trapp ran into a bad game in the middle, where he got 163 through a pair of breaks and too many spares. Hahn had a row of five strikes in the last game.

Bob Bergman and Lee Bernet had a fine chance for the lead earlier in the night, but the Ellis leaguers stopped at third place with 1,245. Ed Giblin and Matt Williams ran up 1,168, but lost a fine chance for big money when Giblin ran into 123 at the finish.

Five Men Teams.

Rialtos Bdy. [2,727].				North Av. Bank [2,721].			
Erickson	182	212	180	H. Munk	148	216	191
L'hrman	123	235	165	Trimble	200	149	218
Carlson	163	179	167	Wienold	182	184	169
Ehlman	210	187	202	E. Munk	149	215	178
Gifford	200	174	195	Koopman	170	174	178
Totals	878	937	912	Totals	849	938	934
Buehrles [2,714].				Lindley [2,702].			
Muza	176	190	244	Sterng't	199	211	142
Rommel	191	165	164	Hand	188	141	189
Strey	176	167	175	McCay	183	165	153
Felts	186	208	180	Lindley	182	184	192
Gloede	144	180	156	Hannon	198	180	185
Totals	873	910	931	Totals	960	881	861
Good Catch [2,700].				Emp. Kids [2,667].			
Schmidt	230	198	177	Mountain	188	136	188
F. Korth	117	190	160	Hoffman	159	184	205
Boenning	193	168	165	Weil	160	183	159
Freitag	189	192	192	Smith	168	187	137
W. Korth	188	194	167	La Plant	193	253	167
Totals	917	922	861	Totals	868	943	856
Josettis [2,658].				Sam Gale [2,658].			
Spong	191	199	213	Moritz	161	179	199
Zim'man	154	190	161	Ballen'st	192	211	185
Pracht	183	160	156	Z'pperle	192	168	192
Wortman	157	186	191	Krumrei	174	155	144
Weider'r	144	195	178	Janke	150	192	174
Totals	829	930	899	Totals	869	895	894
Bucketts [2,614].				Rex Beach [2,610].			
Travis	143	189	161	Kirch	171	156	183
Berkland	143	179	176	Peters	167	183	171
Kalimuk	171	154	182	Braband	168	161	125
Hanraf'd	178	215	180	Love	206	143	186
Mitchell	180	180	212	Mathes	164	150	206
Totals	816	887	911	Totals	876	863	871
Avon [2,608].				Primas [2,598].			
Hartman	175	161	181	Wienold	145	188	149
Teufel	189	173	171	Gaede	169	176	141
Sasse	172	181	175	Engel	207	157	147
Lidl	188	177	171	Schwars	178	171	199
Judy	194	191	171	Hoff	168	162	211
Totals	888	903	817	Totals	867	854	877
Wood'ns N. [2,588].				Peisers [2,547].			
Ehrob	156	133	223	F. Black	190	177	223
Minners	189	144	174	Dreifuss	176	169	199
Schoen'g	172	178	144	Spencer	141	144	171
Davis	195	235	178	Meyers	177	142	154
Sandm'er	158	144	180	C. Black	200	167	177
Totals	835	857	896	Totals	884	799	924
Carroll [2,557].				Bergers [2,531].			
O'Connell	157	155	135	Ranck	158	151	138
Berry	169	147	181	McDon'd	165	171	172
Spencer	143	159	157	Golds'th	157	180	133
Nicks	253	171	197	Seye	152	165	209
Lawlor	145	148	201	Berger	212	178	206
Totals	869	780	886	Totals	827	848	861

Schoenherr	815	841	933—2,589
Rambus	865	831	873—2,569
Monograms	737	768	672—2,417
Goldy Tailors	796	773	835—2,404

Two Men Teams.

L. Hahn	216	221	235
Ad Trapp	229	163	214—1,268
R. Bergman	217	210	186
L. Bernet	217	179	236—1,245
Al Murray	184	172	166
F. Halas	214	188	245—1,169
D. Ward	183	181	162
G. Klingen	245	185	212—1,168
E. Giblin	190	213	123
M. Williams	195	189	258—1,168
C. H. Stone	190	185	175
P. Rothermel	162	169	253—1,134
E. Otto	202	244	169
T. Otto	128	216	156—1,115
F. Soule	166	158	207
A. Seyl	169	169	229—1,098
F. Fillies	176	223	205
H. Wendel	167	173	145—1,079
W. Sheehan	174	185	188
E. Jones	194	218	181—1,090
R. Cross	180	195	173
L. Wolsiefer	235	133	164—1,077
A. Arnstein	193	177	188
E. Duffy	181	166	168—1,073
S. Berger	148	168	196
P. Mitchell	192	171	194—1,069
F. Moisley	180	182	202
G. Cook	173	165	156—1,067
F. Hawekotte	180	184	175
H. Thies	202	146	179—1,066
Larson	156	154	181
W. Biederstadt	182	207	180—1,060
C. Fetz-E. Fargo			1,054
C. Olsen, H. Priebe			1,049
R. Griebel, H. Kuhlmann			1,048
J. Clausen-W. Wieland			1,017
C. Bork-W. Johnson			1,002
J. Foley-J. Steilen			1,001

Individuals.

H. Thies	226	218	192— 636
A. Radoll	207	195	230— 632
R. Griebel	217	196	204— 617
P. Rothermel	194	192	228— 614
A. Schoessling	194	234	173— 601
D. Ward	202	215	179— 596
J. Kempe	190	224	162— 585
G. Klingenberg	179	180	223— 582
C. Bork	181	235	158— 574
A. Korn	175	174	223— 572
W. Ploen	182	189	200— 571
O. Trader	207	208	155— 570
M. Williams	155	198	214— 563
C. Fetz	188	206	167— 561
S. Kind	193	189	177— 559
P. Mitchell	190	175	188— 553
E. Duffy	160	215	174— 549
A. Arnstein	201	167	179— 547
R. Bergman	195	188	153— 536
W. Clausen	157	204	165— 526
W. Sheehan	158	199	169— 526

F. Fillies, 549; C. Corby, 548; L. Wolsieffer, 544; W. Holtz, 543; S. Berger, 540, E. Jones, 516; C. H. Stone, 505; E. Otto, 505; E. Giblin, 500.

CYCLISTS SET RECORD PACE.

New York, Dec. 7.—Fast riding, with Walthour, Spears, Grenda, and Fogler setting the pace, kept the riders in the six day bicycle race ahead of the best previous mark. At midnight, the eighteenth hour, the thirteen leading teams were three miles and eight laps ahead of the record with a score of 1,015 miles 1 lap. Sullivan and Anderson were one lap behind the leaders; Suter and Madonna, two laps; Wohlrab and Kopsky and Ruddie-Russe and Vanderstuyft, four laps.

AT THE BILLIARD ROOMS.

George Felton of Boston will play Kieckhefer in the Interstate league series tonight at Bensinger's.

In the restricted straight rail tournament at Mussey's Barrett defeated Srauss, 150 to 72. Schaeffer and Stowe tonight.

In the pocket billiard tournament at the Winton room Sunshine won from Lake [65], 90 to 58.

Hayward and Bernstein defeated Rickard and Holliday, 40 to 33, in the three cushion tournament at Mussey's. Roberts and Schiff vs. Leonard and Berg tonight.

Lloyd Jevne defeated G. Sterns, 50 to 31, in the grst of his three cushion matches in the Regent rooms, going out in 63 innings. Jevne will meet another south side player tonight.

Results in the English billiard tournament at Mussey's were: Hewitt, 206; Brown, 179. Williams, 289; Hewitt [206], 148. Bryant, 243; Schiff [193], 155. Williams, 289; Symon [267], 248. Williams, 289; Allardice [241], 181.

THREE CUSHION LEAGUE.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Charles Le Gros of Peoria won from George Felton of Boston, 50 to 45 in ninety-one innings. Le Gros had high run of 3 and Felton of 4.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Charles McCourt of Pittsburgh lost to John Dankleman and was displaced in first position by Maupome. Score: Dankleman, 50; high run, 5. McCourt, 43; high run, 3; 50 innings.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Clarence Jackson of Detroit defeated John Scanlan of Cleveland, 50 to 34, in eighty-five innings. High runs: Jackson, 5; Scanlon, 3.

In the Wake of the News

By RING W. LARDNER

L'Opera.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 7.—Frend Harvey. I told you yest. a bout me going to see the Carmen Fri. night. Well Sat. P. M. I went again because it was too cold to play golf and if you go up and downstares between acts you get the same amt. of exersize

The show this time was Armoure Dei Tre Re and it means the love of three kings and Ive offen felt that kind of a love my self till the other guy showed three aces. Well they wasent no full house this time like the night beffore because lots of the boys cant get off Sat. P. M. this time of yr. The show was suposed to start at 2 but that dident fool me none so I dident

get there till a long wile after 2 and was in plenty of time at that. And an other thing Harvey I bet they could start this here show at 4:30 and be threw by 5 bells if they went right a long with it and not no stalling.

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Well it was a diffrunt drum major this time and he had a beard to keep time for the singers with when his both hands was busy leading the band. As far is I could see they could of all got a long O. K. with out no body beating time because they wasent a minute when the acters was singing what the band was playing. I should think they should ought to come to a agreemunt of some kind before the show gos on. Onct in a wile the band would get wise that the singers wasent with them and then theyd play the Italian Blues loud enough so as you couldent hear what was the singers singing.

They seemed to be a epidemick of beards and the mane actor on the stage had 1. May be it was because it was beffore Saturday night. This here mane actor was a man name Whitehills and hes got some base voice Harvey and I wisht he would of gave us Asleep in the deep. But no he dident do nothing but quarl with the banc and I dont know what he called them because it was all in wop. I dident blame him for being sore Harvey because he was a blind man and couldent see how many was in the house or get a look at the leading lady. She was a peach Harvey and as soon is she come on the stage I wisht I had of pertended like I was Mr. Aleck Dellamarter and got a seat somewheres near the see level.

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The 1st. act was jest so but the 2d. act was a sizzler. You couldent beleive it was only a bout 24 above zero out doors. 2 or 3 times I thot to my self that may be I wasent suposed to look so I dident but instead of looking at the stage where they was carrying on I looked threw the open work seenery and watched some of my pals seting up the stage for the evening show but I wasent clost up enough to reckonize any of them.

At the end of the 2nd. act the old man killed the leading lady because what good did she do him a blind man. Some body in the crowd must of thot she was realy killed to because they sent up some flowers between the 2nd. and 3rd. acts and she come right out in front of the curtain and took them her self instead of leaving it to the funeral director. It was jest a big bunch of asters or something and not no horse shoe or fancy stuff.

Well between the 2nd. and 3rd. act the drum major went out to call on some body that lived in Gary or some wheres and by the time the 3rd. act started the leading lady was sure enough dead and she would of had time to die of all most any thing mean wile. Her corps was set up in a rm. on the stage and all her frends stood a round a wile and told what they realy thot of her and finely they left the house and went to the next funeral and when they was gone a guy that had fell for her went up to the beer and kissed her. Well Harvey this here old blind man had put poison on her lips for a practical joke and this young fellow that kissed her went down and out like Charley White had cracked him. And no sooner wasent he dead then the old mans son come in and done the same thing and that made 3 dead and heavens knows how many injured praps fatully.

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They tell me that its only the 2nd. time 3 Kings was ever held in Chi. up to that time though some body held them again last night. Out to Riverside it aint no incommon thing to see them 4 and 5 times a night. But any way the operas bound to be a success on acct. of them haveing a new way to kill off the people in the last act.

If theys money enough in it Harvey Im going to write the words to a opera because it looks like a snap. All you got to do is see that all the leading men and wommen is dead beffore the curtain gos down and of coarse you better kill them in some originald way like puting them all in the sink and then pull out the stopper or tell them your going to cut there hare and scare them to deth. Then youd half to have it all wrote out in wop or France or dutch and then go a round to the musick publishers and hold them up for the band parts to all there songs and give 1 band part of 1 song to some body in the band and an other to an other and so 4th. and tell them to play it all to gather in a lump. But I dont supose theys enough money in it because I never heard of none of these fellows that wrote the words to operas liveing in there own homes up on the L. S. & M. S. drive.

R. W. L.

MAJOR CLUB HEADS REGRET ACTION OF BIG 9 CONFERENCE

BY JAMES CRUSINBERRY.

A splendid source of supply for material has been cut off by the action of the Big Nine colleges in abandoning baseball, according to the presidents of Chicago's three major league baseball clubs. President Comiskey of the White Sox, President Thomas of the Cubs, and President Weeghman of the Whales all expressed regret regarding the move made by the college heads and hoped the action would be reconsidered.

The boss of the Cubs was more pronounced in his disapproval than either of the others. "We had grown to look upon the big colleges of the west as a great school for baseball players," he said, "and some of our best men have come from those places. The University of Illinois always has developed players worthy of big league trials and one need only mention the names of Jake Stahl, Carl Lundgren, and Fred Falkenberg to prove it has turned out some great talent. I don't quite understand the action taken by the conference heads and can't see how it will eradicate the evil of professionalism in the college ranks."

Thinks It Un-American.

"Baseball is the great American game," said President Weeghman of the Whales, "and I think it was hardly American of the college men to deprive the college students of that branch of sport. Of course, it may not hurt us much, but we are liable to pick up a star player any time from the ranks of the colleges and there may be a lot of baseball stars who now will never have a chance to show their worth. College baseball undoubtedly played its part also in arousing the interest of the fans. A lot of baseball fans are born because of their college associations."

President Comiskey was reluctant to discuss the action taken by the colleges, but admitted that it cut off one splendid source of supply for new material "I'm sorry to se it," said the south side boss, "and I suppose now that I shall have to go along and let Connie Mack develop some more players for me."

Ban Johnson to Cleveland.

President Johnson of the American league departed last night for Cleveland, where he will have a talk with the creditors of Charles Somers, president of the Indians. Johnson expressed the belief that matters would be so adjusted that Somers would continue as head of the Cleveland club and that it would not be necessary to put the club on the market. The American league club owners will assemble here next week for their annual meeting and the president was desirous of settling the trouble in Cleveland before that time.

It was rumored yesterday that James McGill, owner of the Indianapolis club of the American association and the Denver club of the Western league, was trying to purchase the Cleveland club

Sinclair Off for East.

Harry Sinclair, oil man and Federal league backer, who has been in Chicago for the last week, was reported to have left yesterday for New York after having a final conference with President Weeghman of the Whales. The latter left his office at noon, saying he was going to see Sinclair off, and did not return. Before leaving Weeghman declared he didn't know whether there was to be a meeting of Federal league magnates in New York Friday or not. The report is that President Gilmore has called such a meeting. Weeghman says he has no official notice of it and doesn't know whether to go to Gotham or not.

MANY NATIONS ENTER ATHLETES IN MEET CONDUCTED BY A. A. F.

BY JACK PROCTOR.

The international track contests in which athletes of America, Australia, South America, and oriental countries will take part this month will be sponsored by the Cook County A. A. F. Events will be held by various local bodies affiliated with the federation, and scores will be compared by telegraph and cable. More than 1,000 meets will be held in different localities. The Chicago body is in charge of arrangements and will pay all expenses of the undertaking.

Competition will be first by countries, then by units, such as colleges, Y. M. C. A. branches, turnvereins, or social settlements. The present month has been set for the contests in most of the foreign countries. The American competitions probably will come in January, giving ample time for the receipt of results from the other nations.

Allow for Weather Conditions.

Conditions for the meet permit the holding of races at times best suited to the unit or district organization in charge. Winter weather will require that most United States meetings be held indoors. Others will be outdoor events, but the results will be considered together.

In order to give uniformity to the events, and because the contests this year are the first of the character undertaken, a small list has been carded. Competition will be by four classes. The list follows:

Boys under 14 years of age—Running high jump, standing hop, step, and jump; three lap potato race.

Juniors [14-16 years] and intermediates [16-18 years old—Running high jump, standing hop, step, and jump; twelve pound shotput, five lap potato race.

Seniors [over 18 years]—High jump, hop, step, and jump; twelve pound shot put, eight lap potato race.

Arrange for "Little Fellows."

"The list of events had to be made up to accommodate Sunday schools having only a basement for competition, or playgrounds built the size of a back yard," said George M. Martin, Central Y. M. C. A. athletic director, who is chairman of the international meet board.

Five hundred Y. M. C. A. locals, 200 German Turner societies, 100 Polish Turner associations, seventy-five cities with winter playground facilities, and twenty-five Hebrew associations already are entered from American cities. Hundreds of Sunday schools, high schools, and grammar schools also are expected. In addition, all local or district organizations of the A. A. F. will take part, bringing together 5,000 athletes here and abroad:

Besides the United States, China, India, Japan, New Zealand, Australia, Porto Rico, the Philippine islands, Brazil, and other South American countries will hold contests. Most of the local organizations in these nations were interested through Y. M. C. A. channels. Dr. Henry F. Kallenburg, dean of physical education at the Chicago Y. M. C. A. college, is managing the foreign end of the meet.

Turners Back Project.

German and Polish turner societies have indorsed the project through their national bodies, affiliated with the A. A. F., and have distributed translations of the Cook county board's invitation. The local board in charge of the affair is composed of George Martin, chairman; George A. Sellar, who originated the idea a year ago; Theodore Gross, R. V. Western, Harry Berkman, James S. Andresen, and Dr. Kallenburg.

Cardinals Sign Youngster.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 7.—James Brannigan, a 17 year old third baseman of St. Louis, has been signed by the Cardinals for 1916. He played with Decatur last season.

MOORE CAPTURES CLOSE CUE GAME FROM JOE STONE

Tops Rally by New York Man by 50 to 45 Victory; Ellis Beats De Oro.

BY J. G. DAVIS.

John Moore added another home victory to his list by defeating Joe Stone of New York, 50 to 45, in their Interstate league match at Flenner's last night. Moore again demonstrated he is playing stronger billiards than earlier in the season, while Stone showed he can execute cleverly. The game went 67 innings, each player getting a 6 for high mark.

Stone gathered a number of goose eggs in the first thirty-five innings, getting only 16 points, while Moore, with the aid of a sextet in the thirty-fourth inning followed by a 3, had 28 points. At the end of the forty-seventh inning Moore led, 39 to 19, the eastern player being seemingly outclassed.

Stone Exhibits Class.

Stone then made a wonderful spurt, scoring 24 points in thirteen innings. At the sixtieth inning he had 43 points and Moore was only two ahead. A tight finish followed in which Moore gained the wire by running out with a well played 4, his final count being up and down the table to the side cushion. Score:

MOORE — 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0
4 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 0 1 1 0 1 0 1
0 0 0 6 3 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 1
0 0 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0
0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 4—50. Innings, 67; high run, 6.
STONE — 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1
2 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
2 4 1 1 1 0 6 0 2 2 2 0 3 0 1
0 0 1—45. Innings, 67; high run, 6.

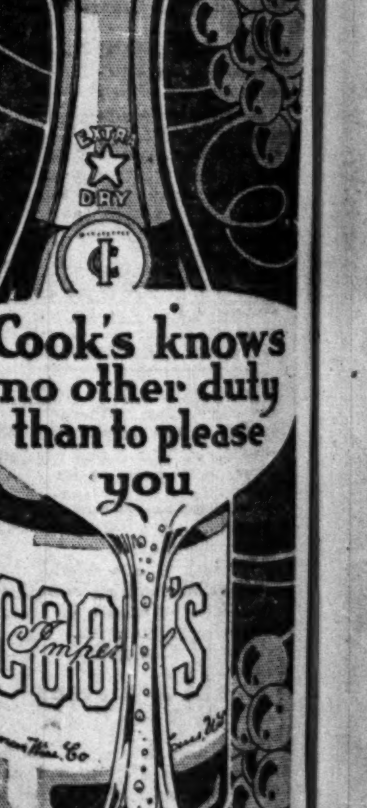
Ellis Beats Champion.

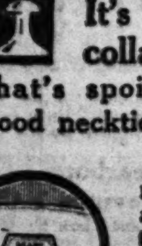
Charles Ellis of Pittsburgh, champion of the Interstate league, outpointed Alfredo De Oro, world's champion, 50 to 47, in a closely fought match at the Inter Ocean building last night, going out in the eighty-first inning. It was anybody's game up to the finish, Ellis scoring the winning point with a clever three cushion bank. Score:

DE ORO — 0 0 1 2 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0
0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 0
1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 4 0 0 2 0 0
1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0
0 0 2 2 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—
47. Innings, 81. High run, 4.
ELLIS — 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0
1 1 2 3 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0
1 2 0 4 2 0 0 2 2 0 2 0 1 0
2 0 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1—
50. Innings, 81. High run, 6. Referee—W. Lauben.

WILLIE HOPPE RUNS OFF 230

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—A new exhibition record at 18-2 balk line billiards was set this afternoon by Willie Hoppe, in a 400 point match with Koji Yamada. Hoppe made a straight run of 230 points in his fifth inning. The final count was 400 to 104. On the one hundred and fifty-first shot of Hoppe's run wiseacres predicted his fall. With the two balls against the rail Hoppe sent the cue ball crashing into the rail, and all balls after performing around the table, kissed, and netted the champion the most difficult shot of the day.





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Dreams of Riches Fade in Court When Innocent Purchasers Are Upheld.

And so, after the old mother's sick-bed revelation of the secret of her daughter's birth, and of the property left by the real father, and the suit started by the daughter to recover the $85,000 in real estate—Mrs. Wilhelmina Clara O'Brien Lawlor Burke has learned that the riches can't be hers.

Circuit Judge Windes decided innocent purchasers have acquired the property which once was William O'Brien's, and that Mrs. Burke, in order to win, should have sued earlier. Even if she knew nothing of her rights, her mother knew, and the mother's neglect nullified the daughter's right to the father's property.

Mother Tells Secret.

Mrs. Burke lives at 6501 South Peoria street. She is the wife of Joseph M. Burke, saloonkeeper at 78 West Harrison street. Her mother is Mrs. Mortimer P. Scanlan, 4215 Indiana avenue.

Last January Mrs. Scanlan was very ill and, she believed, near death. So she summoned Mrs. Burke to her bedside and told her that she was not the daughter of Michael Lawlor.

"Michael was my second husband," said Mrs. Scanlan. "My first husband and your father, Clara, was William O'Brien. In August, 1878, he and four other men were arrested at Anderson, Ind., charged with a bank robbery there.

"William sent for William Pinkerton, the detective, and asked him to see Michael C. McDonald, the politician who later became Democratic boss of Chicago.

Property Is Sold.

"He asked Pinkerton to get McDonald to buy his real estate so he'd have money to pay lawyers. McDonald agreed. He paid $2,000 in cash and later paid $2,000 more. William then obtained his release.

"A couple of months later poor William was shot to death by a negro policeman. Now William was only 18 when he died and so he didn't have the right to deed his property away. That's why Mike McDonald filed suit in the Probate court to confirm his title.

Claim Is Settled.

"Thomas P. Bridges, your guardian, agreed to settle your claim for $500, and the agreement was O. K.'d by Superior Judge Joshua Knickerbocker on condition that you O. K. it too when you become of age.

"That was in 1881. You were only a baby then. I married Michael Lawlor and you were brought up to call yourself Clara Lawlor."

Mrs. Burke filed suit against the present holders of the property, who are Guy C. McDonald, a son of the former boss; Johanna Curran, Edward J. Steinbeck, and Bryan Lathrop, Owen P. Aldis and Russell Tyson, as trustees for Mr. Steinbeck.

Judge Windes decided against Mrs. Burke yesterday. Her attorney declared he would appeal.

HOYNE AID ARMS TO BALK WRITERS OF MAIL THREATS.

Lincoln Avenue Home Raided for Papers Believed to Belong to Painters' Local.

Assistant State's Attorney Nicholas Michels was seen yesterday to fondle a revolver. He has received a number of threatening letters because of the part he played in securing the labor indictments.

The state's attorney's office sent detectives to the home of Julius Lichtenstein at 2342 Lincoln avenue, where books, papers, and a checkbook were taken on a grand jury duces tecum subpœna. The content of the papers was not discussed by the state's attorney's officers. They admitted, however, that the records are those of painters' local No. 275 and are expected to form an important link in the evidence against the fifty-four men indicted in the window smashing cases. Lichtenstein is one of the fifty-four.

All but six of the men under indictment in the labor cases have surrendered. They are Axel Alex, Thomas Flannigan, Charles Fussy, Jack Miller, Fred McQuade, and John Ryan. Bond was arranged in the morning for Alex, but he failed to appear to surrender himself.

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CHARGES MUNRO SEEKS REVENGE

Vice Detective Says Attorney Wanted Job from O'Hara.

WILL TESTIFY TODAY.

M. Blair Coan, investigator for the O'Hara vice commission, who has been subpœnaed to appear before the court of inquiry conducted by Fayette S. Munro at today's session, last night charged that Attorney Munro sought the attorneyship of the commission at $50 a day and upon being refused threatened to block the appropriation.

"Immediately after the organization of the vice commission," said Coan, "Munro, who was then a Progressive member of the legislature from Highland Park, met me in the lobby of the Leland hotel at Springfield.

"'Coan,' he asked, 'who is going to be the attorney for your vice commission?'

"I replied: 'We are not going to have any. O'Hara is an attorney and as chairman of the commission will examine the witnesses.'

"'Well,' said Munro, 'I want to be the attorney. I'll work cheap—say $50 a day.'

"I told him again we were not going to have an attorney.

"'If I don't get the job,' Munro said, 'I've got enough influence in the house to stop your committee from getting any money to work with and I'll put your committee on the bum.'

"The house records will show that later Munro did try to stop the committee from getting its money, and the records will show also that he did not succeed. In justice to him it should be said that he did control one vote a part of the time when the clerk called the roll. I told O'Hara of the conversation at the time."

Mr. Munro last night said:

"Coan's story is just plumb ridiculous, that's all."

An interesting session is expected today when Coan appears at the hearing before Master in Chancery Roswell Mason.

Munro will examine the witness.

INDICT HARVARD PROFESSOR FOR ELECTION FRAUD

With Eight Others He Is Accused of Conspiracy in Student Registration.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—A two inch reading notice in the Harvard Crimson early in the fall was primarily responsible for the indictments to which a member of the Harvard faculty, a minister, an instructor at Harvard, and politicians—nine in all—pleaded not guilty today, which charged them with conspiracy, administering false oaths to illegally assessed voters, and signing false certificates. Each of the nine was held in $1,000 bonds.

For several years the non partisan and later the Republican parties have made it a practice to enroll students whose votes in a close fight might turn the city or a section of it over to their party. When a raft of students arrived for registration this year the district attorney's office, forewarned, had men on hand making notes.

Attorneys "Ready to Help."

The notice in the Crimson invited students to register for the state election, and advised them that the Harvard department of government stood ready, through attorneys stationed at the assessor's and board of register's offices, to look after the rights of the students. This the Harvard authorities denied, and the Crimson editors confessed to the district attorney's representative that they did not know who had brought the notice for publication.

Several members of the university, including Prof. William B. Munro, whose assistant, Hale G. Dwight, was indicted today; Recorder G. W. Cram, as well as three Crimson editors, appeared before the grand jury at that time.

District Attorney Corcoran, at the earnest behest of Prof. Munro and Prof. Frankfurter, agreed not to prosecute the undergraduates, provided no further fraudulent registrations would be attempted.

Politician Makes Complaint.

More than 100 men had registered from the university and Edward D. Edwards, a local politician, officially entered objection to forty of them. The district attorney sought to get the men higher up and the grand jury's finding at that time resulted in today's indictment.

The specific charge is that these citizens assisted in one way or another in securing the fraudulent registration as voters in the city of Cambridge of students and others who were not entitled to the privilege. The indictments are said to be only a beginning in the wholesale system of arrests contemplated by District Attorney Corcoran and that when all the tale is told a scandal will be shown up which will strike at the very roots of the university.

WIFE APPEALS TO HUSBAND.

James J. Maher of Minneapolis Summoned to Help Care for Babies.

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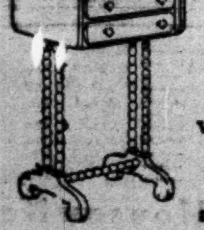

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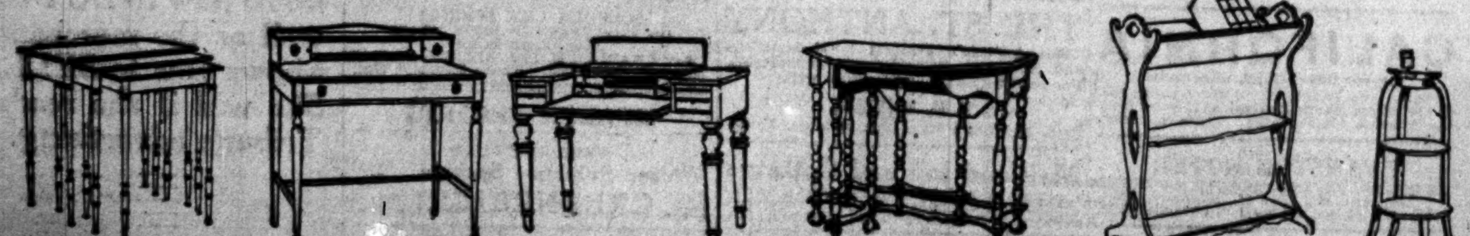

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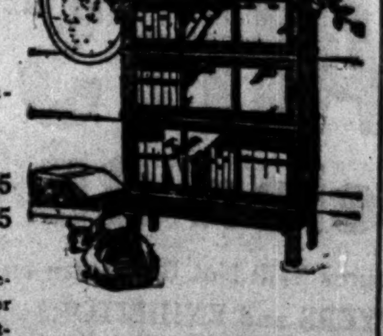

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MAYOR TO GIVE ICE RINKS FOR YOUNG SKATERS

Is Behind "Tribune" Movement and Will Flood City Parks for Boys.

EXPERT SHOWS HIS STROKES.

BY WALTER H. ECKERSALL.

Following the annual election of officers of the Western Skating association, held Monday night at the Sportsmen's club, and the resolution adopted unanimously to coöperate with THE TRIBUNE in its attempt to help make its skating carnival a success, no other person than Mayor William Hale Thompson has put his shoulder to the wheel of what should be the most successful skating season in the history of steel blade events in Chicago.

Not only has the mayor signified his intention to help the park and playground boards, but he will instruct the fire departments in the vicinity of the various parks to flood rinks, so that the skaters will have plenty of time to prepare for the coming events. This will be done when the weather turns cold enough to warrant good ice.

Boost Outdoor Sports.

It will be remembered that the mayor is the father of the playground system. He always has been a firm believer in outdoor athletics, and it is because of this that he will lend his official support to a scheme which will bring the younger generation out in the open to take part in events the winners of which will be rewarded with handsome prizes.

"I used to play football with the C. A. A.," the mayor said. "I used to skate a little, but never was much good at either speed or figure skating. I heartily endorse the plan of THE TRIBUNE to get the boys out in the open, however. It is a plan which is worthy of commendation and one which will receive the help of the present city administration. I will do anything I can to help make the project a success. I will be only too glad to render my services or issue any orders in my power to the police and fire departments or others connected with the city government. I am back of the plan hand and foot and you can depend upon me for anything in this reason."

Others Offer Support.

Mayor Thompson was not the only person who jumped into the band wagon. Commodore James A. Pugh came through with the assertion that he will lend the support of the Sportsmen's Club of America to such a worthy cause, while a helping hand has been received from many persons identified with the skating game.

That everybody is back of THE TRIBUNE movement was shown yesterday when Bobby McLean, a speed and fancy skater of international prominence, who is giving exhibitions at the College Inn, volunteered to demonstrate the different strokes which the park and playground skaters will have to execute. McLean is only too glad to help a cause which has resulted in making him one of the greatest speed skaters in the history of the ice game in this country.

Learned in Chicago.

McLean learned to skate on the lagoon in Garfield park. At that time he was only a kid in knee breeches. His ankles were wobbly and he had to wear heavy harness straps to support them. He kept at the game and showed such rapid improvement that today he is considered one of the best all around skaters who stands on the steel blades. He is a product of the parks, a healthy and well developed athlete.

It is with the idea in view of developing just such athletes that THE TRIBUNE is promoting its tourney. It is the idea of this paper to start the younger generation in a course of training which will result in the making of men in case of trouble with foreign nations. If the boys who attend grammar schools are kept out in the open, get the exercise which the ice affords with such games as I got it, shinny, or sting gool, we will have a more healthy race and we will have men who are more prepared to defend this country in case of trouble.

THE TRIBUNE will be glad to receive any suggestions from persons interested in the plan, and, starting tomorrow, an outline of the many stunts, how to perform them and a general story will be printed each day. Tomorrow's story will deal with the first event, cut circle forward, not less than fifteen feet in diameter, right and left.

BLOWN FROM THEIR BEDS BY ITALIAN ALARM CLOCK.

Two Families Are Thrown to Floor When Bomb Is Exploded in Meat Shop Basement.

A bomb exploding under the butcher shop of Stefano Laverdi, 914 Townsend street, last night blew Laverdi, his wife, his three boys and his daughter out of bed, blew the family of Thomas Sciortino, a grocer living next door, out of bed, smashed the windows in the houses near by, and woke up all the people for several blocks.

The bomb was placed in the basement. Laverdi and his wife lived over the butcher shop with their sons, Vito, Frank, and George, and their daughter Dominico. Sciortino lived over the adjoining grocery.

REDFIELD WIRES TO SHIPS.

Secretary of Commerce William C. Redfield began yesterday a special telegraph bulletin service to protect the large number of lake vessels which are engaged in shipping at this late period in the season. The telegram yesterday to Capt. William Nicholas, inspector of steamboats, announced that a heavy storm is approaching by way of Lake Superior and asked all vessels be given warning.

Euchre Hostess Offers China to Suppress Story

Mrs. J. A. Botkin Worried When Reporter Visits Card Matinee.

POLICE MERELY LAUGH

There wasn't any admission fee yesterday afternoon at the regular Tuesday euchre matinée at the home of Mrs. J. A. Botkin, 4624 Vincennes avenue. But there was a polite collection so the afternoon broke very well indeed for the hostess.

The prizes were of linen, although there was a great deal of china in evidence. The winner of the first prize, with a score of 78, received a bed set, and others received comforters and blankets in the order of their score. The consolation prize was a bunch of linen handkerchiefs. And there was plenty of china left, too, because a TRIBUNE reporter was offered a massive hunk of china if she wouldn't print anything about the inoffensive little card party.

"What's a Card Party?"

Over at the Eleventh precinct police station the reporter interviewed Lieut. F. C. Gurney and the lieutenant pulled a face that was childlike and bland.

"O, what's a card party?" said he, forgetting for the moment that Chief Healey has ruled against these polite society affairs of 50-cents-to-get-in and win a piece of china.

"Sure I gave permission for the party at Mrs. Botkin's. Why not? I like to play euchre myself. Ain't it all right to give a little money to pay the lady for her trouble?

"Why, say," said the lieutenant extending himself, "there are forty poker games in the south district a day, and they lose real money. That's nothing. We shouldn't bother the ladies when they just have little parties for fun.

"A woman is calling up and telling on the other women because they have barred her from the game, and she tells the most fabulous things, but I don't intend to insult people by interrupting their little games of cards. Mrs. Botkin said that Miss Nora Renehan would be present, as she intended to invite her. But Miss Renehan wasn't hostess."

Keeps Right on Going.

But Miss Renehan, who was the object of a police raid for her activity in polite card parties, was conspicuous by her presence at Mrs. Botkin's when the reporter called there. She holds parties every Tuesday in the Botkin home, according to reports from those who say they know. Miss Renehan's secretary collected the money at Mrs. Botkin's party yesterday, according to a guest.

The "collection" yesterday obviated the more commonplace method of collecting at the door. And admittance was by invitation. This made it more intricate. But the quarters and the 50 cent pieces came in just the same and there was no trouble.

Time to Make Getaway.

Of course, when the reporter and a plain clothes policeman started from the station for the Botkin flat there was plenty of time for the players to get warning and make their "get away." For when the reporter and the detective arrived there were only two or three left. Miss Renehan's secretary had made the collection and the game was over. It might appear that the games are not half so important as the collecting.

Mrs. Botkin is a dressmaker and she was opposed to publicity, although she said the games are perfectly proper.

"I wish," she said, "I knew what you are going to say in the paper."

FATALLY SHOT, GIRL CRAWLS 400 FEET IN EIGHT HOURS.

Maryland Maiden Wounded by Married Man, Who Then Slays Self.

Crisfield, Md., Dec. 7.—After having crawled on her hands and knees along a road for a distance of about 400 feet, which took her nearly eight hours to traverse, Hilda Sterling, 18 years old, was found probably fatally wounded near here today. She said she had been shot by Chauncey Reese, a married man, who afterward shot and killed himself. Reese's body was found.

COCKROACH SWINDLE BARED.

Hungry Man Carried Them Into Cafes Instead of Cash and Does Not Have to Pay.

A novel method by which he has eaten for the last several months at the expense of various high class restaurants and hotels was told in detail by H. J. Callahan in the Court of Domestic Relations while testifying in a non-support case yesterday.

Dead cockroaches were used by Callahan in his operations.

"I always carried a supply with me," he said. "When I had finished eating I would throw one on the plate. Then I would call the proprietor, point disgustedly at it, and walk indignantly from the place without settling the bill. It never failed."

CHURCH, SOCIETY, ARE DENOUNCED BY MRS. LILLIE

Daughter of Millionaire Thinks Authority Should Be Let to Lapse.

TURNS A REAL SOCIALIST.

BY SHEPPARD BUTLER.

Mrs. Frances Crane Lillie, daughter of the late Richard T. Crane, Chicago's wealthiest ironmaster, sat in the big living room of her home at 5801 Kenwood avenue last night and in the same matter-of-fact tone which she might have devoted to expounding the mysteries of a chicken salad explained why, a few hours before, she became a member of the Socialist party.

Quietly and a bit wearily she told of her utter discouragement over what she called the "timidity" of society as she has known it. Deliberately she arraigned the church, the settlements, the women's clubs, and the schools as shirkers.

"I am now a Socialist," she said. "The occurrences of yesterday have made me one."

Appears in Court.

Earlier in the day Mrs. Lillie had appeared in the West Chicago avenue police court for trial on the charge of interfering with an officer which caused her arrest on Monday when she was in the striking garment workers' picket lines on the northwest side.

Immediately afterward she enrolled as an active member of the Socialist party, promising to vote its ticket hereafter and saying from now on her energies are to be devoted to righting the wrongs which she believes are being inflicted on the working people by the economic system which produced her father's $10,000,000.

"This strike has opened my eyes," she told a reporter for THE TRIBUNE. "I don't know much about socialism. They tell me that there are as many forms of socialism as there are believers in it. But surely any system that can produce the police terrorism of this strike—that can set Jews to committing the same sort of outrages on their co-religionists that they protest against in Russia—surely, that system is all wrong.

"And society is wrong—here in Chicago. Those poor, frail workers haven't a single group of people with them. Their own rabbis have deserted them, not a minister is with them, not a settlement, not a woman's club, not a civic organization. They have been left absolutely alone in their fight.

Northwestern Settlement.

"Hull house? Why, Miss Starr is the only one, and she has been the heroine of the strike. The Northwestern university settlement is over there, but not a move have they made. I understand my bishop—Bishop Anderson of the Episcopal church—said today that he sympathizes with them. Well, I can only say, would to God he had told us weeks ago.

"It isn't active opposition. I call it timidity. Perhaps you would call it cowardice. One woman went over there to the picket lines just once. Then she said, 'You may call me anything you like, I just can't stand it.' And she never went back.

"I have no definite program. I told them I would vote the Socialist ticket, and that is all they require. But I believe that the general strike is democracy's greatest weapon. It has been used in Europe; I don't know why we don't use it in America. Perhaps the right leadership has not developed here.

Wants Government Milk.

"The first big step forward would be government ownership of public utilities—and by public utilities I mean lots of things. Milk, for instance. One of the first things I would do would be to have the government distribute milk. It is far more important to the babies than water.

"And if only authority could be abolished! If it could be taken away from fathers, mothers, teachers, officials, policemen, how much better the world would be. Authority is a terrible thing.

"The whole competitive system in business is wrong. It seems to sharpen the wits—think of the furniture they make that falls to pieces when it is delivered—all the shoddy substitutions of commerce—but it rots the moral fabric. The leader of the employers in this strike was a Jewish boy on the west side, they tell me, and talked ideals at Hull house. Now, look at him!"

Husband Not Interested.

Mrs. Lillie admitted that her husband, Prof. Frank R. Lillie of the department of zoology at the University of Chicago, is not interested in her move.

"He sympathizes with anything I do," she said, "but he is a scientist and very busy. And I am busy, too. I am going back to the picket lines, of course, but I think if this strike is ever ended, I shall retire for a good, long rest. I have my children, you know."

There are seven children in the Lillie family. Three of them, all boys, were adopted by Mrs. Lillie, and one of them is blind. In addition to devoting herself to her family she has had the active direction of the Buffalo Creek farm colony for widows and their children, near Wheeling, Ill., which was provided for by a fund left by her father, and has devoted much time to several other charities of the Crane family.

Mrs. Lillie has never been known as a "society woman." As she herself put it: "I guess I have always been interested in these more serious things."

Her home is the simplest imaginable. Little patches of paint were worn from the old fashioned spindle legged chair in which she sat as she talked. Her gown was a severely plain workaday sort of an affair of neutral gray with a touch of white at the collar. On the row of shelves behind her were sets of Hawthorne and Dickens and a "Cyclopedia of Universal Knowledge"—the sort of thing everybody has.

SALONIKI.

BY JOHN T. McCUTCHEON.

[War Correspondent-Cartoonist of The Tribune.]

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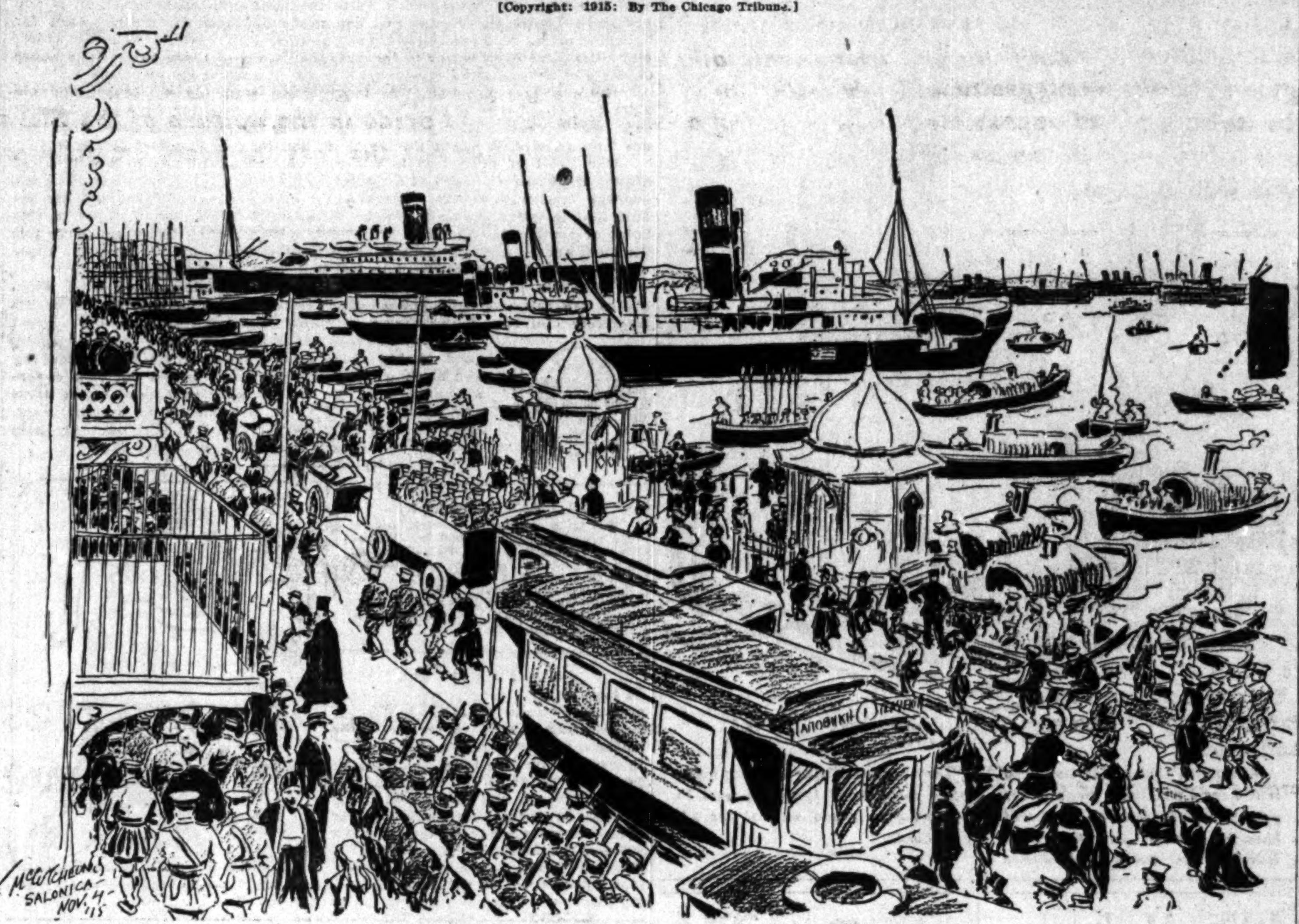

SALONIKI, Greece, Nov. 4.—The war had its origin in the Balkans, and it is likely to see its finish in the Balkans. Perhaps that is why Saloniki today is fairly electric with the excitement and significance of the events that are transpiring here.

Great troop ships are steaming in with their divisions of French and English soldiers. More troop ships are rushing in with their thousands of Greek soldiers. Thousands of Serbian refugees, alarmed by the advance of the Bulgarians, are already here, with thousands more to come, and the cabinets in Europe are tottering and falling because of the Balkan issue.

It is an incredible situation. Here on the streets one sees English officers walking by Turks at whose batteries they may have been shooting two weeks ago in the Dardanelles. Wagon trains and marching soldiers of the Greek army are filling the streets. English automobiles loaded with officers dash along past groups of German merchants, French and Serbian soldiers are jostling along together, and the city is seething with activity, rumor, noise, and racial antagonisms.

If ever a stage was set for trouble, it is here. There is more war in the atmosphere than one would see in a year in Paris or London. It is like Vera Cruz just after the Americans landed, and a little bit like the biggest hotel in a convention city when a president is being nominated. Every hotel is crowded to the doors, and people are sleeping in parlors and writing rooms.

At meal hours the big restaurant of the Olympus Palace is packed with British, French, Greek, and Serbian officers, Red Cross nurses, war correspondents, Serbian refugees of the wealthier classes, and, strangely enough, German officers, German merchants, Turks, and representatives of many other of the belligerent nations.

Saloniki is a big city. It has over 150,000 inhabitants, but there are many more than that number now here. There are 87,000 Jews, many of them descendants of the Spanish Jews who were driven from Spain in Ferdinand and Isabella's time. They still speak the old Macedonian Spanish, after over four centuries of exile.

There are 250 Germans here and about sixty English residents. There are many French merchants, a few Bulgarians and Turks, and thousands of Macedonian Moslems, neither Greek nor Turk.

From the window of my hotel I can look out upon a moving picture of humanity which hasn't a counterpart any place in the world. The harbor is jammed with shipping, the open roadstead is dotted with huge transports and hospital ships, cruisers, and battleships which cannot come into the shallower waters inside, while off across the gulf is the great uplift of Mount Olympus.

Along the street which is the water front of the city and its principal street there is a jam of street cars, bullock carts, donkeys laden with grain and potatoes, automobiles in military service, open carriages, motorcycles, push carts, English and French mounted officers, with the strangest kaleidoscope of humanity pushing back and forth along the narrow sidewalks, and the whole effect incessantly noisy with the shouts of drivers and newsboys and the rattle of wheels over the rough pavements.

Off at the dock, a little to the right, the Greeks are unloading thousands of soldiers and their equipment, and these march past the hotel in long, khaki clad streams. Farther along is the French dock, where France is pouring her blue clad soldiers into the Balkan furnace, while just across the street is the sea wall, lined with native boats and the launches from the scores of ships out in the open roadstead.

To one who likes the thrill and excitement of big situations there is more to satisfy him here in Saloniki just now than almost any place in the world.

At this moment the Balkans hold the center of the stage, not so much because of the magnitude of the military operations but because of the supreme significance of the drama that is swiftly unfolding beyond these northern hills and behind the doors of European chancelleries.

No one dares predict what may happen in the next few weeks. Three armies are landing here simultaneously, one of which, the Greek, is a doubtful quantity. It may swing to the allies, or it may not. Today the Greek ministry of Zaimos fell, and it is assumed that Venizelos again controls the situation. He is strongly pro-ally. The king, on the other hand, has shown his determination to keep out of the war, and he is supposed to have the heads of the army with him, even if a majority of the chamber is against him.

The active participtation of Greece in the war on the side of the allies might swing the scales against the central empires, for Greece's entry might also mean the entry of Roumania on the side of the allies.

Consequently, the stakes that depend upon events here in the next few days or weeks are gigantic in their magnitude.

In the meantime Serbia is swiftly being overrun by the victorious Bulgars. As an English army officer said today, "I'm afraid Serbia is done for."

There are several newspapers here, two pro-ally and two pro-German. Four days ago appeared the first number of an English daily called the Balkan News, and it is certain to have a large circulation among the English soldiers. Its issue yesterday contained such striking items of news as the resignation of Sir Edward Grey, the resignation of Sazonoff, the assumption of supreme command of the allies in the west by Gen. Joffre, the creation of a new general staff in England, and other things which, if true, cannot be helpful in influencing in favor of the entente powers those wavering neutral nations which are waiting to rush to the rescue of the victims.

There are a number of hotels here, the best of which are said to be owned by Germans. In the Hotel Splendid, a German hotel, the British commander in chief and his staff are quartered. As they eat in the restaurant they often find a table next to them occupied by German or Austrian officers.

It is said that every man who lands here is counted by secret agents and duly reported to Germany and Bulgaria. Railway communication is still open between here and Constantinople, and telegraphic communication is open between here and Sofia.

Can a more amazing situation be imagined?

JUDGE FEARS DELUGE OF STRIKER CASES TODAY.

Graham Asks Newspapers to Publish List of Defendants to Be Given Hearing.

Judge Graham, before whom all the strikers' cases set for jury trial will be heard, feared another human deluge of prisoners when the strikers' cases are called today and asked the newspapers to publish the names of the defendants who will be called. They are Samuel Gibbs, Solomon Koowich, Beatrice Steinberg, Gertrude Glossman, Rubin Goss, John Jakuherys, Clara Goldstein, Robert Panlutal, Joseph Palindo, Samuel Baiger, Fannie Olken, and Josephine Mark, all of whom are charged with disorderly conduct.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, said just as he was leaving for Washington that he would be glad to use his influence to bring about arbitration of the clothing strike in Chicago. He said he would feel free to use the good offices of the American Federation of Labor, the Chicago federation, or the United Garment Workers, the recognized union in the clothing field.

DEAD IN MICHIGAN SHACK.

James Dougherty, Veteran Graham & Morton Employe, Exposure Victim.

In an old shack in Benton Harbor, Mich., the body of James Dougherty of Chicago was found yesterday morning. It is believed he had crawled into the shack to obtain shelter from the cold, and died there from exposure. Dougherty was 65 years old and was a veteran employé of the Graham & Morton Transfer company.

MAY ABOLISH NYE'S JOB IN MOVE FOR ECONOMY.

Merit Board to Recommend Consolidation of City Inspecting and Examining Departments.

Does the city administration intend to solve the difficulties involving Boiler Inspector George E. Nye by abolishing the position altogether?

President Percy B. Coffin of the civil service commission announced yesterday the merit board would recommend the consolidation of three city departments—smoke inspection, boiler inspection, and board of examining engineers—as a move in economy.

The plan is said to be to place Dr. W. H. Reid, chief smoke inspector, at the head of the consolidated department. In that event Mr. Nye and the members of the board of examining engineers would either occupy subordinate positions or be ousted altogether.

The council is expected to act on the Nye case next Friday.

FREED ON "SLAVE" CHARGE.

Evidence Lacked Proof of Payment of Fare on Man's Trip with Girl.

Earle S. Cass, manager of Strauss & Schram, was freed of the charge of violating the Mann act because of lack of evidence.

He admitted transporting Miss Wilfreda De Janert of Milwaukee from Chicago to South Haven on Sept. 11, but no commercial aspect of the trip appeared in the evidence. His case was heard by Commissioner Lewis F. Mason.

Hinton G. Clabaugh, chief of the local division of the bureau of investigation, reserved the right to bring the case up again if criminal evidence is found.

THE TALE OF LITTLE RAT AND A GROUP OF WOMEN.

It's the Same Old Story All Over Again, but with a Touch of New Scenery.

In the political equality of man and woman a rat has no place. This dark assertion becomes luminous as the tale unfolds.

The United Order of Foresters recognizes women and admits them to membership on an equal footing with men.

In Odd Fellows' hall at Evanston Miss Emma Boyer was reading the minutes with perfect assurance and sang froid. Entered the rodent. The male and female membership of the order were no longer on an equal footing. The latter climbed to desks, chairs, and window sills and refused to come down until Police Sergeant E. J. Mobert had slain the rat and thrown him out.

BLOW BLAMED FOR DEATH.

South Chicago Man, Attacked by Motorman Last Spring, Dies After Nine Months.

Max Krause, 10124 Escanaba avenue, South Chicago, died yesterday, supposedly from a blow inflicted on March 7 when he and two friends were put off a South Deering car.

Dr. G. E. Bass, 9849 Ewing avenue, who attended Krause, asked that a postmortem examination be made.

Krause, the police were told, had been struck over the eye March 7 by a motorman, who used a controller in his attack on him and John Calahan, 9863 Escanaba avenue, and Thomas Roberts, 10111 Commercial avenue.

SIMPLE ROAD TO WEALTH OUTLINED BY MR. FORGAN.

Honesty Is Still One of the Basic Principles Necessary to Success, He Says.

"Simple honesty is the basic factor in business success."

"A university education is a good thing, but it is only a foundation."

"Good penmanship and rapid and accurate accounting give any man a good start in life."

"Specialization in education is becoming the rule—and a good rule it is."

These were some of the utterances of David R. Forgan, who spoke last night to 1,200 students of the night classes at Lane Technical High school. Mr. Forgan's subject was "What Business Men Want Young Men to Know."

POLICE SPYING IS UPHELD.

Mayor Says Police Were Acting Within Their "Broad Duties" in Counting "Wet" Marchers.

The assignment of detective sergeants at the time of the "wet" parade to make a record of the marchers was given a halfway defense by Mayor Thompson yesterday.

"The duties of a policeman are very broad," the mayor said. "It depends on the point of view."

The mayor commended Chief Healey for directing Lieut. James V. Larkin of the detective bureau not to testify before the judiciary committee. Sergt. Edward Marpoll had told the committee Lieut. Larkin had instructed him and thirteen other detective sergeants to "spy" on the participants in the parade.

HER WORK DONE, MRS. YOUNG TO LEAVE CHICAGO

Schools Head Gives Swan Song Views Before Going to California.

HER LAST DAY ON THE JOB.

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young leaves Chicago today. It will not be for a leave of absence from the city where she has spent most of the seventy-one years of her life. She is going to California to live. With her will go her friend, Miss Laura Breton, who has been her constant companion for many years and with whom she has lived at the Hotel La Salle.

Whether Los Angeles or San Diego will be the abode of the two women Mrs. Young has not yet decided. Neither has she decided just what she will do.

"I want a month to decide that," she said. "I think that I am entitled to a month's vacation."

On a Magazine Board.

Her last act of her last full day in her office was to dictate an acceptance of an invitation to become a member of the editorial board of the American Internationalist, a new fortnightly magazine soon to appear. On the board will be a number of noted educators of the country.

Mrs. Young's last day was not greatly different from the other days. She spent her morning, as usual, visiting schools. The greater part of her afternoon was taken up in shaking hands with visitors. Numerous principals came to her office. Many of them asked for and received photographs of the retiring superintendent.

Gives Away Belongings.

Mrs. Young gave away many of her personal belongings which have been in her office during her term as superintendent. A picture of Lincoln went to the Haines Practice school and a picture of Carlyle to the Parker Practice school. The Carter Practice received a group of six pictures of Pompeiian scenes. Her picture of Alfred R. Urion, former president of the board, went to the Normal college.

"I am undecided," said Mrs. Young, "whether I shall settle down in Los Angeles or San Diego. There is one objection I have to San Diego. It is always windy there.

"I am going to take a rest. I shall not look at a newspaper for six months. Maybe I shall not know when the war is over. And I want to go to Europe when the war is over, too, but not right away."

Some Valedictory Thoughts.

Mrs. Young had hoped to prepare a valedictory, but gave it up on account of lack of time. But she talked on some of the subjects that might have been considered in the valedictory.

"Have you ever seen one of those folding, zigzag hat racks?" asked Mrs. Young. "They always remind me of the way the schools have advanced. It's just the way the human race has advanced, too. We get started, and seem to be going smoothly in one direction. Then the storms begin to come, and soon we are off in an entirely different direction. The storms subside, and we go smoothly for a time, until other storms arise, and we start again in another direction. It seems that we ought to get theory and practice together to eliminate this zigzag.

What Pleases Most.

"One of the things which has pleased me most is the change which has made learning in the schools on the same basis as learning in life outside the schools. It is a pleasure to see school work change from a book form of learning. The race advances by meeting obstructions and passing them. Why shouldn't children in the schools advance in the same way? When you begin to question a thing you begin to think. Not before.

"A great change has come in the method of discipline. There are many who say there is not proper discipline in the schools. It is the home where there is not proper discipline. I should like to take the people who make such statements around to 150 schools and show them what a wonderful response there is to what is considered good behavior in the schools.

Higher Standard Now.

"When I began to teach school the children would follow the teachers down the street and call them names, dodging behind wagons and trees to keep out of sight. There probably aren't ten such cases a year now. In those days we used to whip children. Now we don't. So it isn't because the children are afraid of punishment. I believe it is because there is a standard set as to what is good citizenship in the schools. The change to the humanitarian form of discipline was the great work of Supt. Howland.

"Another great step taken is in regard to the physical condition of children. We are just waking up to that. I suppose there will be talk about how much it costs after a while. People will say: 'Let us get back to the cheapest thing on earth, the three Rs.'"

WOMAN STEPS FROM AUTO INTO PATH OF TROLLEY.

Mrs. Patti Doring, Wife of Manager of Pictorial Review, Killed by Chicago-Milwaukee Car.

Mrs. Patti Doring, 36 years old, 4419 Magnolia avenue, wife of John S. Doring, Chicago manager of the Pictorial Review, was instantly killed by a Chicago and Milwaukee electric car at the Green Bay road crossing, Glencoe, yesterday.

The car was going at the estimated rate of fifty miles an hour.

She was struck when she started across the tracks after having alighted from the electric automobile of Mrs. Bertha Schnur of Glencoe, whom she had been visiting.

Society and Entertainments

Here and There In Chicago Society.

SEVERAL interesting affairs will occupy society today. Mrs. George Higginson Jr. of 1822 Astor street, who is actively working for the success of the musical and lecture to be given at the home of Mrs. Potter Palmer on Dec. 16 for the American ambulance of France, will entertain at luncheon today.

This afternoon Mrs. Chauncey Keep and her daughter, Mrs. James C. Hutchins Jr., will give a musical at the Blackstone at 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Waller of 737 Lincoln parkway gave a small dinner and theater party last evening in honor of Mrs. Potter Palmer. Mrs. Palmer is expecting her sister, Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, to come from the east to spend the holidays with her.

Mme. Mercedes Devries Schmit, who has been giving a series of lectures at the homes of various women throughout the city for the French Red Cross service, in which she has served, will leave tomorrow for the east and will sail on Saturday for France. She has been called there because her husband, Hubert Schmit, has been called to the trenches, and she hopes to reach Paris before he leaves for the front. She herself will return to the Red Cross service.

Because of her sudden departure Mme. Schmit announces that if any subscribers to the series of lectures, three of which remain to be given, will write to Miss Blanche Van Buren at 5438 Harper avenue their money for the remaining lectures of the series will be refunded.

Mrs. Thomas Kelly and Miss Kelly of 4750 Woodlawn avenue have issued cards for an afternoon reception on Saturday from 4 until 6 o'clock. Those assisting will be Miss Jessie Stocksstorm of St. Louis, Miss Frances Schram of Burlington, Ia.; Miss Marion Boisot, Miss Helen Leavitt, Miss Winifred Sewall, Miss Elizabeth Foresman, Miss Margaret Shedd, Miss Helen Warren, Miss Dorothy Scully, Miss Ruth Dugan, Miss Ruth Kimball, and Miss Dorothy Derby.

Mrs. Arnold Gilmore of 445 Sheridan road, Winnetka, will give a tea-dance at the Blackstone on Dec. 22, from 4 to 7 o'clock, for Miss Isabel Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Thrasher of 4011 Lake Park avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Mildred, to Dana Peabody Washburn. Mr. Thrasher is superintendent for the Committee of Fifteen. Mr. Washburn is connected with Marshall Field & Co.

Bishop and Mrs. William A. Quayle of St. Paul, Minn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Allie Quayle, to Arthur Courtenay Burch, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Burch of Evanston. The marriage will take place in the early spring. The young people attended Northwestern university together.

Mrs. Frederick H. Trude of 1635 Hinman avenue, Evanston, announces the engagement of her daughter, Bernice, to Thomas Clark Spearman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Spearman, who recently moved to Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Everett Millard and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Boynton, will return from the east the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Parker and daughter, Virginia, of 999 Lake Shore drive have returned from a six weeks' trip to the resorts of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gregory Rodiger of 185 East Chestnut street announce the birth of a daughter, Josephine Maribelle Rodiger, on Nov. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reynolds of 1235 Astor street will spend the Christmas holidays in St. Louis with Mrs. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scudder.

Dubuque Man Gives to Chicago Hospital.

Maimonides hospital has been further aided by Abraham Slimmer, the Dubuque (Ia.) philanthropist, to the extent of $5,000 annually. This announcement came yesterday in a telegram from Mr. Slimmer to F. J. Rosenblatt, a member of the committee named to raise funds to save the institution fro foreclosure proceedings.

In addition to this yearly assistance, Mr. Slimmer has subscribed $25,000, and also provided in his will that $400,000 be given outright to the hospital.

Mr. Slimmer also has given $1,000 towards the Marks Nathan Jewish orphans' home playground at Albany and Ogden avenues.

BRIGHT SAYINGS of the CHILDREN

"The Tribune" will pay $1 for each childish saying printed. The stories may be sent in either by children or their parents. The only condition is the story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. It is not possible to acknowledge or return unavailable contributions. Address bright sayings to Aunty Bee, "Tribune," Chicago.

When Marie came to visit us she went from chair to chair, carefully feeling each one, and when she had made a tour of the room she said: "You ain't dot no children, have you? The chairs ain't sticky." M. J. B.

Our neighbor's little daughter is given a great deal to taking people seriously, and when asked how she liked her cousin visiting from Washington she replied: "How can I tell yet? Her and I isn't ver' well 'quainted." B. S.

My little brother has been thinking a lot about Christmas lately and one day, when his teacher asked the question, "What great man has done more for this country than any other man?" Ira promptly answered, "Santa Claus." A. R. K.

MISS EDITH OGDEN HARRISON

Miss Edith Ogden Harrison, who is to have a debutante group in the pageant at the Spanish ball, will have her mother, Mrs. Carter H. Harrison as queen and James Breckinridge Waller as king, while the members of her group will be dancing girls and men of the Alhambra.

Arthur Meeker Jr. Grand Opera Patron.

BY CINDERELLA.

BEHOLD a future promoter of grand opera in Arthur Meeker Jr. He's only 12 or 13 now and clever so that one can't help noticing it, and thus he comes into the limelight not only as a patron of grand opera but as the friend and historiographer of many of the great stars and lesser artists.

He knows all the real names of all the singers in Chicago this season; he knows where they were born, and thinks he knows how old they are. Let the dear little fellow think!

Now further, he knows where all the warblers have studied and what are their principal rôles, and where they have sung before—in short, the detail of the opera is at young Arthur's finger tips and he is as au courant in some matters as Maestro Campanini.

A while ago young Arthur met a gorgeous and brilliant prima donna in his own home out on Sheridan drive. She came to a party at the Meekers', received a great deal of gallant attention from ces messieurs, and was particularly bewitching and scintillating toward the only son of her hostess, who was on deck for the occasion, which was the debut of a sister.

Wonder if this could have been Mme. Elvina? In any case, she asked young Arthur to call and call he did very promptly.

He was shown into a saloon coquet, as the French say, empty save of flowers and photographs and the boudoir paraphernalia of a femme du monde away from home.

Being a bright eyed boy, young Arthur looked brightly about, charmed with all he saw, no not quite all, for a glance in a jeweled mirror showed him a glimpse of his lovely operatic friend. Unawares, she was passing a rabbit's furry foot rosily over her fair cheek, and adding carmine to her magic lips. O, hélas, youth and youth's illusions.

When young Arthur went home he told his mamma and his papa all about it, and how badly it made him feel to have seen these strange things behind the scenes, concerning one of his dear opera friends.

Mrs. Trout a "Dark Horse"?

Whether or no Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout will consent to run against Mrs. Anna Howard Shaw for the presidency of National Equal Suffrage association was not definitely known yesterday at the meeting of the board of the Illinois association. Mrs. Trout, who is in Florida, has been spoken of in connection with the post on a number of occasions, but has not yet consented to allow her name to be used as a candidate.

The meeting of the board was called to arrange details regarding the Illinois delegation which will attend the convention of the national association in Washington on Dec. 4 to 9. More than one hundred Illinois women will attend the convention, according to Miss Kate Adams, though only fifteen delegates and fifteen alternates will be appointed.

The full membership of the board, with the exception of Mrs. Trout and Miss Jennie Johnson, auditor, attended the session yesterday. The full quota of downstate members was present.

A budget committee was appointed, including Miss Johnson, Mrs. Florence Gray, and Mrs. Hariret T. Treadwell. Arrangements were made for the publication of 5,000 copies of Mrs. Trout's annual report for distribution to all members of the affiliated organizations.

Conventions in Session Today.

United States Metal Culvert association .... Hotel La Salle
National Association of Metal Spring and Bed Manufacturers .... Auditorium Hotel
Association of State Highway Departments .... Hotel La Salle
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Independent Telephone Association of America .... Hotel La Salle
National Independent Telephone association .... Hotel La Salle

Doris Blake Says

"Love is a mysterious sixth sense highly developed in man from his crib-age to his dotage."

Have you a perplexing love affair in which you need the counsel of a friend? Write to Doris Blake, care of "The Tribune." If you wish a personal reply send stamped and addressed envelope.

Do you know a real love story—one that is stranger than fiction? "The Tribune" will pay $5 for every story published. Manuscripts will not be returned. Address Doris Blake, "The Tribune," Chicago.

Real Love Stories

He Made Her Laugh.

I WON my girl by making her laugh. I arrived here not very many years ago from Hamburg, Germany, with 45 cents and a stock of English comprised in the words "Ich cannicht English spik."

I walked up a side street and met the doorman of a dingy café, who happened to be a fellow countryman of mine. He was dressed in a flaming red uniform which was a matter of great disgust to

him. In fact he informed me in doleful German accents that he was going to quit because of the flaming livery. Here was an opportunity! I persuaded him to hand the job to me. He succeeded in arguing the proprietor of the restaurant into accepting me in his place.

There were a number of stenographers employed on one of the floors above the café. These stenographers all used the door at which I and my uniform presided. The first evening on the job they all filed out. I obsequiously and gallantly held the door open for them. One look was sufficient. They looked and went into spasms of laughter. They all looked over their shoulders and tittered until they had passed out of sight. I grinned very sheepishly. When they returned in the morning I bowed to each of them and murmured "Good-morning." in my broken English. They all bit their lips and shrank from me as from some strange, outlandish creature. All of them acted that way except one bright eyed Irish girl.

She gradually took an interest in me. Finally she got me a job with her firm as porter. I undertook to teach her German, and she in return taught me English. We attended night school together. She, however, seemed to take to me because I amused her. She still laughs at me. In fact she claims that the best way to bring about a German-Irish alliance is for the Germans to make the Irish laugh. However, in my case I lay it all to the red uniform. F. F. M.

The Pretty Habit Indoors as Well as Out.

Antoinette Donnelly

"AROUND the house she's a sight, but she's some doll when she gets into her street togs." That was a small boy's description of the woman who lived next door to him.

Nowadays there isn't an excuse in the world for a woman looking anything but attractive all the time. In apartments, where labor is comparatively light and conveniences many, it is inexcusable for a woman to go about in untidy dress and unkempt hair.

For 50 and 60 cents one can buy good looking house apron dresses with caps to match, which are really quite fascinating in appearance, or, if you are skillful with the needle, you can make up these dresses and caps for half that price. The attractive breakfast sets, with their Norfolk coat waists and skirts, are even better to look at, and in one of these natty little house outfits you are always presentable enough to answer the doorbell.

Nothing to my eye is less pretty than a sloppy shirtwaist and old skirt topped off with a boudoir cap that has seen better days as a boudoir cap. And I know women who, on the theory that anything goes when you are indoors, will go about the house all day long in this sort of apparel.

The habit of prettiness is one you cannot afford not to acquire, and around the house the need of attention to dress is a far greater one than the average housewife thinks. A whole lot of the dissatisfaction and discontent that is prevalent among wives is actually due to carelessness in this habit of prettiness. Think it over, now, and recall the times you have felt the most abused and the most discriminated against—weren't they the times when you didn't care how you looked and your dress showed it?

There's a powerful stimulus in attractive clothing. And even when dishes are being washed and dusting being done it is possible to be attractively clothed. Never dream of doing your housework in your street clothes—a mistake not at all uncommon. Nothing spoils good clothes more than wearing them to do cleaning and dusting in. If an emergency arises put on a coverall apron. But for the ordinary routine of house dress and dressing don't think it a matter of unimportance. Look as attractive as you can. It will not only help your looks, but your disposition and your family's.

KEEP THE CORNERS OF YOUR [mouth] UP

HOW I HAVE KEPT YOUNG.

Was it by keeping your waist reduced and your hips slender? And how did you do this? Was it by some trick of dressing hair or figure? Was it by not forgetting how to play? Was it by certain rules of living and exercising? "The Tribune" will pay $1 for actual experiences on How I Have Kept Young. Address Antoinette Donnelly, Chicago Tribune.

Takes Time to Play.

I keep myself young by sharing in the play of my three small daughters. A large basement with a cement floor makes a fine roller skating rink and the four of us have jolly times skating there together. It helps me to preserve a youthful figure and puts roses in my cheeks. We take long walks together andin stormy weather we love to make dresses for a family of dolls. During the morning hours household tasks take most of my time, but the afternoons are my playtime. I am not goinng to forget how to play, and this is keeping me young and happy. MRS. H.

MARION HARLAND'S HELPING HAND

By MARION HARLAND

Has Use for a Desk.

"Could you get me a desk or flat table? If so, I should be so glad, as I am a night student at a Bible institute and am trying to learn God's word. A table or desk would be a great help to me. I am a young man of 24, married, and I have a baby girl 7 months old. I am at present out of work. If you could tell me where I could get a job I would be glad. I don't drink or use tobacco. I. P."

The Corner has no employment office connected with it. Watch the help wanted ads. We will try to get the desk for you. It is probable that a disused desk or table dismissed to the lumber room when the children left school for good and all may be brought to light for your use.

Needs Quilt Pieces.

"I see a kind offer of silk and velvet pieces, and shall be thankful to get some of them. I have several much worn quilts that need a new cover. I should be glad to have them to piece in covering my children's bed. ADA C."

Your address and request are safe in our books. Those of us who know the bliss of the "quiet hour" when the day is done and the children are "folded like the flocks" will enter into your longing to have gentle play for fingers that have been so used to work they are restless without some semblance of it. Patchwork has charms those who have never made it cannot comprehend. Let this correspondent have materials for a "duvet," alias silk quilt.

Important Detail Overlooked.

"I have a fine baby boy. I should like to have him adopted into a good home. He is two weeks old, dark and healthy. The doctors pronounce him one of the most perfect babies ever born at the hospital. Can you help me? MRS. L."

You debar us from the opportunity of making your acquaintance with readers who might be interested in the fine baby by neglecting to append your signature and address to the letter. Communications addressed to Mrs. L, with the name of the city, are not likely to reach you. And still the wonder grows that, despite reiterated admonitions, so many readers persist in withholding names and addresses, yet expect replies by mail.

No Carpets on the Floor.

"I am taking the liberty as a poor mother of writing to you for a little help. I have small children—three girls and two boys. We live in an old house on the bottom floor. It is awfully damp. I have nothing whatever to cover my floors with. I should be glad for some old pieces of oilcloth or carpets to put on the kitchen especially, as my baby is at the age she wants to creep, but I cannot put her down. I have never asked any help before, but it seems as if I should lose my mind worrying about one thing and another. MARGARET M. P."

The address of the writer of this appeal is on file and those who can aid her are requested to write for it.

Fashions from London

Apricot charmeuse with petticoat of old gold. The roses are of a deep red.

Reliable Laxative Relieved This Baby

Child Was Badly Constipated Until Mother Tried Simple Remedy.

In spite of every care and attention to diet, children are very apt to become constipated, a condition responsible for many ills in after life unless promptly relieved.

Mrs. C. W. Wilson, of Shelbyville, Tenn., had trouble with her baby boy, Woodrow, until she heard of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. She writes, "I can safely say Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy of its kind on earth. It acts so gently and yet so surely. Little Woodrow was very badly constipated and we could find nothing that gave relief until we tried your Syrup Pepsin, which gave immediate relief."

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WOODROW WILSON

BEFORE AND AFTER TAKING.

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Preparing Carp.

CARP is a Christmas week food for the Bohemians and on New Year's eve the Germans eat it stewed in beer. Other nations use this fish to the extent to make it truly cosmopolitan, and Americans are becoming more interested in it now that they are being taught how to cleanse it from its mud. The Germans keep it alive in clean water, which cleanses it, until ready to cook, as they do all other fish. Some day we may do the same.

On June 22, 1914, the University of Illinois, the department of household science, issued a bulletin devoted to the "Cooking of Carp." In reference to the removal of the forked bones it said: "These unattached, forked bones, which render the flesh of carp so hazardous to masticate, are ossifications of the connective tissue, and are located parallel with the back bone at a distance from it of about one-third the width of the fish. Attempts were made to remove these bones before cooking. Such attempts were difficult of execution and always resulted in much tearing of the flesh. . . . However, after boiling it was found that these bones could be removed quite easily. This was done best by using a small sharp pointed knife and making an incision directly over the bones, from head to tail of the fish, and removing the bones thus exposed one at a time. A little practice soon enabled the manipulator to know the relative position of these bones, and hence to know where and how deep to make the long incision."

Boiled Carp.

It is often difficult to get small specimens of this inexpensive fish. Aciduated water is always recommended for the boiling and other seasonings are generally used. Cut into fillets a large fish, sprinkle thickly with salt, and let stand an hour. Wash off salt, put a layer of sliced onion in a flat bottomed kettle, with some sliced carrot and part of a chopped green pepper. Cover with a quart of cold water and from three to four tablespoons of vinegar. Bring to boil, put in pieces of carp, and cook until tender gently for about one-half hour. Wine or beer with many seasonings can replace water. Serve with Hollandaise or other sauce. Good cold with mayonnaise as salad.

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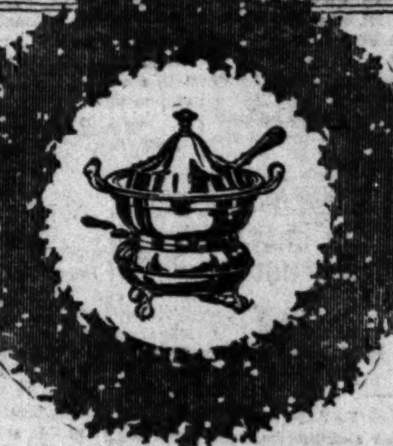

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LOUISE EDVINA in "L'AMORE DEI TRE RE"
Photo Matzene? MOFFETT

"L'Amore dei tre Re" at the Auditorium.

MONTEMEZZI'S "L'Amore dei tre Re" was sung for the second time of the resident opera company's season last evening at the Auditorium. The cast was unchanged from that of the premiere. Mme. Edvina, and Messrs. Clarence Whitehill, Graham Marr, and Edoardo Ferrari-Fontana were warmly greeted by the audience after the curtain of the second act.

"Tosca," with Antonio Scotti as the Scarpia opposite Geraldine Farrar's Tosca, will be the opera of this evening. The cast further will include Miss Sharlow, and Messrs. Bassi, Nicolay, Trevisan, and others. Mr. Campanini will conduct.

For the first time Cleofonte Campanini will direct one of the "popular" performances next Saturday evening, when "La Gioconda" will be sung with Katerine Lynbrook in the title rôle. The stranger in this cast has won considerable reputation in the west. Young Mr. Vegliotti, who made quite a surprising debut last Saturday night, will sing the tenor rôle. Otherwise the cast is unchanged.

E. De L.

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AT LAST NIGHT'S OPERA

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BOX 5—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chase. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman, Miss Kirkland, Hugh Blythe.
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BOX 11—Mrs. Charles A. Chapin. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Forsyth, George Forsyth, Miss Frances Wheedon, C. A. Coolidge.
BOX 18—Miss Hazel Eden, Mr. Mudge, Mrs. Sturkow-Ryder.
BOX 20—Mme. Frances Rose, Miss Ethel Kalischer.
BOX 21—Mrs. Bessie Brannion and party.
BOX 22—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison M. Parker. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred D. Mayo, Mrs. Samuel H. McFarlane.
BOX 23—Mrs. Fred Griesheimer, Mrs. J. Proskauer.
BOX 24—Mrs. R. A. Pick. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slade, Mrs. Clarence Whitehill, Mrs. Mabel Sharp Herdien, Miss Ruth Herdien.
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BOX 26—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. Landon Rose.
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BOX 48—Mrs. Sheriff. Guests: Mr. F. T. Haskell, Mr. Musgrave, Mr. Brandt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schw[illegible].
BOX 49—Mrs. Watson Blair. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blair, Mr. and Mrs. William Prescott Hunt.
BOX 50—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Crane Jr.
BOX 51—Mr. and Mrs. George M. Reynolds. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Earle H. Reynolds, Miss Helen Gurley, Miss Carlota Glasgow.
BOX 52—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Brewster. Guests: Miss Mabel Linn, Miss Edith Blair, Garrard Winston, Hopewell Rogers.
BOX 53—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Swift Jr. Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ford Carter, Mr. and Mrs. James Ames.
BOX 54—Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Robbins, Miss Alice Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodman.
BOX 56—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter, Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Webster.

Bach Society at Central Music Hall.

BY ERIC DE LAMARTER.

PROPAGANDA for the music of J. S. Bach was laid aside last evening at Central Music hall in the concert of the Bach Choral society and in its place was sung a part song program very largely from the lighter Anglo-Saxon and Russian repertory. Whether Conductor John W. Norton's idea was to make his choir more popularly known or to lighten its antiquarian and polyphonic labors with works of less severity is not clear. But the large audience seemed to find joy in the change.

Two soloists assisted the ensemble. Edith Ayres McCullough, soprano, sang a Puccini aria and Debussy's "Romance," with a pretty but very small tone, and the group suffered somewhat from lack of contrast. Her second comprised the Händel classic, "O Sleep, Why Dost Thou Leave Me?" Coleridge-Taylor's "Life and Death," and Horsman's "Bird of the Wilderness." It was presented in happy vein.

Edward Atchison, the young tenor announced, was ill. In his place appeared Arthur M. Platz, another tenor, whose rich tone, good enunciation and style made beautiful three German lieder and a group of unpretending songs by Jean Boyd, the composer accompanying.

The choir's singing had the various traits of a young ensemble. Its fortes were solid and well balanced excepting for a lack of weight in the low bass section; its pianissimos and the matter of accent and shading generally were its weak points. The tenors, contrary to the American tradition, possessed great initiative, and their tone had surprising stamina. Two songs by Gretchaninoff were among the best interpretations of the evening—"Sun and Moon" and "Autumn."

Palmer Christian played the accompaniments with skill and with ready sympathy with the soloists' ideas.

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Violated Copyright on Play.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—E. H. Perry of Hudson, Wis., indicted on a charge of violating the copyright on a play, "Reuben Amanda," pleaded guilty to piracy in United States District court today and was fined $100 by Judge Wilbur F. Booth. The copyright on the play which Perry used was held by Alex H. Beyers, Chicago.

Elect Y. M. C. A. Directors.

The annual election of directors of the Y. M. C. A. of Chicago was held at the general offices of the association yesterday. The following were elected to succeed themselves and will hold office for three years: C. T. B. Goodspeed, Francis W. Parker, James R. Chapman, Herman G. Hetzler, Edgar H. Nichols, John B. Lord, and William P. Sidley. There are twenty-one directors and the terms of one-third of the directorate expire each year.

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Will Tell How to Write a Short Story.

The short story class of the Women's Trade Union league will begin its winter lecture course tonight at the City club, 315 Plymouth court. Dr. J. Berg Esenwein will speak on "The Short Story: How to Appreciate It and How to Write It."

FLICKERINGS from FILM LAND

Thrills and Color in 'The Unknown.'

"THE UNKNOWN."
Produced by Lasky.
Released by Paramount.
Presented at the Strand.

Richard Farquhar	Lou Tellegan
Capt. Destinn	Theodore Roberts
Nancy Preston	Dorothy Davenport
Capt. Arnaud	Hal Clements
First Private	Tom Forman
Second Private	Raymond Hatton
Hotel Proprietor	Horace B. Carpenter

BY KITTY KELLY.

HERE is Theodore Roberts again more starred of, even though foiled against the heroesque Lou Tellegan, than he is in his featured rôle, "Mr. Grex of Monte Carlo," where his opportunities are rather overshadowed by Frank Elliott's Lord Huntersley. As "Devil Destinn," tyrannizing over his command, galloping over the desert, he is a commanding figure who engraves himself on the observer's perceptions. He quite sweeps into the hero's rôle, and with his final big bit of abnegation, he leaves one with a queer shaky feeling, that, of course, could be nowhere akin to pathos, for we are too sophisticated a set of people to be touched by a mere picture. If we didn't happen to be such, however, here's a spot that would do it, when the iron hearted Destinn resigns his new found son, his title, the whole vengeful fabric of his life, and turns back to his legion.

In contrast with Robert's dominance, is the quiescence of Lou Tellegan's rôle. That handsome débonair hero has come upon hard lines at every turn, even after he sinks into the nameless abyss of the foreign legion, he is given a hard bang by the mailed fist of fate.

When he raises his head, down he is knocked, even though he loves a lady and is loved back. But if he be no Georgebarrmccutcheonrobertchambers hero, to do and dare everything, he is admiration winning, and he is a player of parts. He fills most acceptably one of the niches in filmland's gallery of good folks.

For the interplay between Roberts and Tellegan, there is a story of absorbing interest, and unforeseen dénouement. Though one expects it to end happily—Miss Davenport is a very charming little heroine and ought to be made happy—the clouds of uncertainty hang darkly, and one doesn't know until the finale.

California's great desert and palm treed spots of cultivation provide a convincing atmosphere of Algerian feeling for us who have not been there. Flaunting striped robes, fluttering headdresses, and swarthy complexions assist in the Arabian illusion, and Manager Cordner's musical accompaniment carries the appeal audibly.

It is a workmanly picture, telling an unusual story briskly through the medium of forceful characterizations by skilled players. It may be too good a picture to appeal to a lot of people who go in for the obvious, but it is sure to find the mark with many.

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"Who's Who in Motion Pictures."

It remained for Chicago, midway between the two great centers of film activity, Los Angeles and New York, to provide a "Who's Who in Motion Pictures" for the information of the masses and the edification of the who's. Henri Armand de Masi has compiled a little volume, bound in purple cloth, gold stamped, containing under alphabetical cataloguing the essential facts of the lives of some 300 people concerned with picture activities, from players to publicity men.

In the spring he intends a larger volume to have at least a thousand entries. It is an invaluable little book for hasty reference, answering speedily the questions that pop on the tip of the tongue in connection with seeing a picture containing this star or reading of a production made by that director.

Mr. Masi is a newspaper man of experience ranging from Cuba, around about here in Chicago having been with the Journal and the Examiner among others. Some time spent with the Essanay company inspired the idea for the book which he has put into the realization of type.

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At the Movie Ball.

The man behind is going to have his festive inning tonight. He shoots, not shells, but pictures, and himself and a few hundreds more of him will dance at the seventh annual ball given by the moving picture machine operators union, local 110, at the Coliseum Annex this evening from 8:30 till 3 a. m. A cloud of mystery is flung around just which motion picture stars will lead the grand march, but it will be led by scintillators, and there will be music and cabaret entertainment and enough of merriment to keep people wide-awake, according to the prospectus.

LOU TELLEGAN THEODORE ROBERTS

Censorial Punishment.

The following cutouts were ordered in films inspected by the board of municipal censors at the city hall yesterday:

THE DESTROYING ANGEL [Kleine-Edison]. Closeup of hotel register; all scenes of chauffeur and girl in bedroom; subtitles: "No, I'll keep it on, etc."; "You can't do that, etc."; "Are you married to that girl?" "All right, Kid, you're worth it, etc."; hotel proprietor and wife discussing registry entry; throwing man from boat; muffling woman. Insert subtitle before chauffeur leaves to read: "Now for the minister."

THE BLACK HOLE OF GLENRANALD [Kalem]. Subtitle: "One of you chaps who knows the combination of the safe will come up"; three scenes of clerk working at safe; all scenes showing robbers in possession of money bag; binding clerk to wire fence.

FIGHTING IN FRANCE [Morris Gest]. Flash four closeup dead body scenes; flash scene showing sliding corpse into grave.

CROSS CURRENTS [Triangle-Fine Arts]. Closeup of dying man.

THE POWER OF FASCINATION [Rex]. Stabbing of man.

THE LABYRINTH [Equitable]. Two views of stamped envelopes.

FORTY MINUTES FROM NOWHERE [M-in-A]. Three scenes of dancer lying in man's lap.

A ROSE AMONG BRIARS [Pathe]. Scene immediately following couple's struggle in bedroom.

LILLIAN'S ATONEMENT [Deer]. Nine gambling scenes and flash fifteen other scenes. Flash two scenes of tough dancing.

THE CHEAT [Lasky]. Subtitles: "Is it a bargain?" "Come tonight"; "You cannot buy me off—you must keep your bargain"; closeup of branding struggle.

SWEETER THAN REVENGE [Lubin]. Closeup of snake; two closeups of dead body at foot of cliff.

Sale to Aid Crippled Children.

The annual sale of work, product of the skillful fingers of the crippled children at the Country Home for Convalescent Children, begins today at the residence of Miss Helen Birch, 1912 Michigan avenue. They include toys, bed tables, doilies, tea napkins, towels, bibs, and rugs. All are the work of the boys and girls of the home. Sadly crippled as some of them are, they are learning to be of use and in a measure, self-supporting.

The proceeds of the sale will go to the child makers of the articles after the price of the material used is deducted. Many of the offerings are suitable for gifts and it should not be forgotten that Christmas is pretty near.

The Country Home for Convalescent Children is located on a ninety-six acre farm at Prince Crossing, Ill. It had its origin in 1911. Many Chicago society people are on its directorate and advisory board.

There are now seventy children at the home. The home is purely a charitable institution and is giving aid which the children would not receive elsewhere.

The educational system at the institution is specially designed to give instruction along vocational and other lines which will tend to make the cripples of service to themselves and others. In many cases they are taught work which makes them self-supporting.

The articles manufactured by the children are said to be equal in every way to the product of the fingers of wounded soldiers of the European war.

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If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.—Advertisement.

DEATH NOTICES.

APGAR—M. Elizabeth Apgar, Dec. 6, widow of Austin C. Apgar, late professor of natural sciences in the New Jersey state schools. Funeral at 10 o'clock Wednesday at the late residence, 4423 Magnolia-av., Chicago. Interment at 2 o'clock Thursday at Trenton, N. J.

CONLEY—Mrs. Nora Conley, nee Sullivan, beloved wife of the late Lawrence, fond sister of Mrs. M. Feeley, native of Ballybunion, County Kerry, Ireland. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 9, at 9 a. m., from sister's residence, 2938 Walnut-st. [formerly of 925 Cypress-st.], to St. Mathew's church, where solemn high mass will be celebrated; autos to Mt. Olivet. For seats or limousines call Kedzie 2394.

CORBETT—Michael Corbett, Nov. 28, at 418 Slater-st., Ottawa, Ontario, beloved brother of Mrs. M. J. Harty, the late Kate and Patrick Corbett. Funeral from the home of his niece, Mrs. E. J. Major. Burial at Renfrew, Ontario.

DEELEY—Mary J. Deeley [nee Hartnett], Dec. 7, beloved wife of Michael J. Deeley, and mother of Maude, Emmett, Catherine, Sarsfield, and William Deeley. Funeral Friday at 9 a. m., from late residence, 7146 Union-av., to St. Bernard's church, where high mass will be celebrated; thence by autos to Mt. Olivet. Member of St. Anne's court No. 7, W. C. O. F. For seats or autos call Yards 708.

FOX—Emma Marion, infant daughter of Harry and Esther [nee Klimcke]. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 3 p. m., from residence of Mrs. C. F. Klimcke, 2316 S. State-st., by autos to Oakwoods.

FULLER—Frank R. Fuller, Dec. 6, 1915. Funeral services will be held from the residence of his father, 1001 N. Dearborn-st., Thursday, 2 p. m. Interment private.

GILLESPIE—Mary Elizabeth Gillespie, 2519 W. Superior-st. Funeral notice later.

GIRAULT—Peter Laidlaw Girault, after brief illness, on Monday, Dec. 6, 1915, at 10:30 p. m., at his residence, 1436 Hyde Park-blvd., aged 58 years. Native of New Orleans, La. Funeral services Thursday, 2 p. m. Boston [Mass.] and New Orleans [La.] papers please copy.

GOODMAN—David Goodman, beloved husband of Bessie and father of Mrs. Edgar L. Straus and Mrs. Louis S. Straus and Leon J. Goodman. Funeral notice later.

GORMLEY—Alice Gormley, nee Pickerell, beloved wife of the late James, fond mother of William, Frank, Officer Grover, James, Leo, Arthur, Aloysius, Raymond, Aleathea, Estella, Gertrude, and the late George Gormley. Funeral Thursday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 5662 Archer-av., to St. Agnes' church, where solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated. Automobiles to Mt. Olivet. Member of St. Agnes' court No. 16, W. C. O. F., and Martha Washington Hive No. 76, L. O. T. M. Friends wishing seats or autos call Yards 34.

HOHMANN—Saybell Lauretta Hohmann, nee Johnson, of 631 N. Christiana-av., Dec. 5, 1915, aged 31 years, beloved wife of Edwin O. Hohmann, daughter of Mrs. Hilda Egley, sister of Mrs. Mabel King and Ira Johnson. Funeral Wednesday, 3 p. m., from Forest Home chapel.

JESSEL—Leo Jessel. Funeral from chapel 356 E. 35th-st., 11 a. m. Wednesday, Dec. 8. Interment Elks' Rest, Mount Greenwood cemetery. Funeral services under auspices Chicago lodge No. 4, B. P. O. Elks.

LEONARD—Emeline Leonard, Dec. 7, 1915, in her 80th year, beloved mother of Enoch W. and Milton H. Leonard, Mrs. K. H. Leach, and Mrs. William D. Lahey. Funeral from late residence, 2637 Washington-blvd., Dec. 9, at 1 p. m., to Forest Home cemetery. New York City and Tarrytown, N. Y., papers please copy.

LONG—Elizabeth Long, Dec. 6, widow of the late Edward Long, sister of Mrs. William Johns, at residence, 122 S. Menard-av. Funeral services at residence Thursday, 2:30 p. m.; autos to Forest Home.

LUNDGREN—Florence Elizabeth Lundgren, beloved daughter of Charles Lundgren, sister of Marie, Bertha, Joseph, and Walter, sister-in-law of Ruth and Ida. Funeral from Moody church Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment, Montrose.

LYNCH—Margaret Lynch, nee Powell, Dec. 6, 1915, beloved wife of the late William Lynch and mother of Mrs. Mary Hanley and Sarah Lynch and the late William Lynch and sister of Mrs. P. Layden. Funeral from her late residence, 1510 W. Van Buren-st., Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 10 a. m., to St. Jarlath's church, thence by carriages to Mt. Carmel.

MOCKENHAUPT—Paul Mockenhaupt, Dec. 6, aged 67 years, beloved husband of Mary Mockenhaupt, nee Heilmann, fond father of Bert, Leo, Karl, Henrietta, William, and Paul Jr. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 9, at 9:30 a. m., from late residence, 2050 Grace-st., to St. Benedict's church; thence by carriages to St. Boniface cemetery.

McCORKLE—Charles R. McCorkle, Dec. 7, at 6056 Harper-av., husband of Hattie McCorkle and son of Mrs. Belle McCorkle. Services today at 11 a. m. Interment at Evansville, Ind., Thursday Dec. 9.

PREBLE—Emily C. Preble, beloved wife of Harry R. Preble, at the residence of her son, Raymond E. Preble, 5228 Harper-av. Funeral at Oakwoods cemetery chapel, 2 p. m., Wednesday. Cincinnati, O., papers please copy.

RIMKE—Joseph F. Rimke, Dec. 6, 1915, husband of Fredricka, father of George, Clara, Carrie, and Mabel. Funeral from residence, 747 S. California-av., Thursday, Dec. 9, 1915, 10:30 a. m., to Waldheim.

SACKLEY—John F. Sackley, at Oklahoma City, Dec. 4, 1915, aged 21 years, beloved and only son of William S. and Margaret Sackley, nee Furlong, loving brother of Lillian, Virginia, and the late Francis Sackley. Funeral Thursday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 4332 Washington-blvd., to St. Mel's church; by autos to Mount Carmel.

SCHWARTZ—Lena Schwartz, nee Cohn, beloved mother of Esaw, Ellis, Mrs. P. Landfield, Mrs. Ike Cohn, Mrs. J. Pesky. Funeral from late residence, 1240 N. Robey-st., Thursday, Dec. 9, at 1 o'clock. Automobiles to Free Sons' cemetery, Waldheim. New York papers please copy.

STRAWN—Eliza Hardy Strawn, widow of the late Abner Strawn, mother of Mrs. Milo B. Randall, Silas H. Strawn, and Dr. Julia C. Strawn. Funeral from her late residence, 4719 Kenwood-av., 11 a. m., Thursday, Dec. 9. Burial at Ottawa, Ill.

TAMPLIN—Mrs. Florence Tamplin, wife of J. W. Tamplin. Interment at Rosehill. Funeral services from 2346 W. Madison-st. at 2 p. m. Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1915.

TANK—William Tank, Dec. 7, 1915, age 39 years, husband of Bertha, father of Herman, Irene, and Gore, beloved son of Christina and the late John Tank, fond brother of John Tank, Mrs. Thomas Beatty, and Anna Lonergan. Funeral from residence of his mother, 1732 School-st., Friday, Dec. 10, at 2 p. m., by autos to St. Lukas cemetery.

TUMPOWSKI—Victor Tumpowski, aged 60, Wednesday, Dec. 7, 1915. Funeral from late residence Wednesday, 2 p. m., Waldheim cemetery, O. B. A. Omit flowers. Survived by his wife, Pearl, and six children, Minnie, Julia, Stella, Isidore, David, and Joseph.

VAN BERSCHOT—Delia J. Van Berschot, nee Cooney, wife of John, mother of Mrs. J. Beattie, John E., Walter J., and Arthur H. Services Friday, Dec. 10, 1915, at 2 p. m. at her late residence, 708 S. Springfield-av.; autos to Forest Home.

VORBURG—William H. Vorburg, age 56, beloved brother of Louis and Louise Bluhn, uncle of Ada, Helen, Florence, Herbert, Ben, Elmer, and Arthur Bluhn and Edna Vorburg. Funeral from late residence, 6443 Irving Park-blvd., at 1 p. m., Wednesday, by autos to Waldheim cemetery. Member of K. of P.

WALDREN—Zenaida Waldren, Dec. 6, 1915, mother of Lucile and Aileen. Funeral services from late residence, 4007 W. Adams-st., Wednesday, Dec. 8, 2:30 p. m. Interment Forest Home.

WATKINS—Elias Marvin Watkins, Dec. 6. Funeral services Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock from late residence, 407 Laurel-av., Highland Park, Ill. Interment at Graceland.

WEISS—David Weiss, Dec. 7, husband of the late Amelia Weiss, fond father of Mrs. Celia Heiss, Leon, and Joseph Weiss. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 9, at 1 p. m., from chapel, 3419 N. Clark-st.; by autos to Anshe Emeth, Waldheim. Member of New Light society.

WHITLOCK—Henry William Whitlock, suddenly, Dec. 7, 1915, aged 36 years, beloved husband of Cecilia Hedenberg Whitlock, at his home, 4135 Greenview-av. Services Friday at 2 p. m.; automobiles to Rosehill.

OBITUARY.

PETER LAIDLAW GIRAULT died yesterday at 1436 Hyde Park boulevard. He was born in New Orleans in 1857, and was for many years an official of the Hibernia Bank and Trust company of that city. He removed to Chicago ten years ago, and at the time of his death was associated with the Thorkildsen-Mather company of this city. He is survived by his widow, a son, P. L. Girault Jr., and a daughter, Miss Emma C. Girault.

MRS. ELIZA HARDY STRAWN, widow of Abner Strawn, died yesterday at 4719 Kenwood avenue. She was born in Vermont eighty years ago and lived in Chicago since 1894. She leaves one son, Silas H. Strawn, and two daughter, Mrs. Milo B. Randall and Dr. Julia C. Strawn.

THE REV. DR. FRANK SEWALL, writer, educator, teacher, for sixteen years president of Urbana university in Ohio and author of the Christian Hymnal, died yesterday at Washington, D. C., in his seventy-ninth year.

BARON ARMISTEAD, who was one of Gladstone's closest friends, is dead at London.

Olivet Institute Given $1,000.

A gift of $1,000 for the Olivet institute from the estate of the late C. E. Peck of Highland Park, Ill., was reported yesterday by the pastor, the Rev. Norman B. Barr.

The Olivet institute is located at Hudson avenue and Blackhawk street. The gift was bestowed with the understanding Olivet institute will begin next January to carry forward its work on a cash basis.

"We were a short time ago facing a deficit of $16,000," Mr. Barr said. "We have now raised $5,000 of this amount. A committee is working hard to raise the remaining $11,000. Our budget last year was $45,000. Next year we intend to work on a cash basis."

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E. A. R. 6830 Wentworth Av. Eve. 7 to 11. Hobart Bosworth in Fatherhood.

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4730 Sheridan Road. Mat. and Eve.
TODAY—TRIANGLE PROGRAM
BESSIE BARRISCALE in "THE GOLDEN CLAW"
WEBER & FIELDS in "THE BEST OF ENEMIES."
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DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "DOUBLE TROUBLE," 5 Acts Also
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In "A Janitor's Wife's Temptation," 2 Act Keystone.
Evening Prices—Adults, 15c; Children, 10c.

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2433-43 Lincoln Av., nr. Fullerton. Continuous—2 to 11 P. M.
TODAY AND TOMORROW.
DANIEL FROHMAN Presents
Mary Pickford
—IN—
'Madame Butterfly'
5 Acts. Adults, 10c; Children, 5c.

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Chicago's Finest Picture House
BROADWAY AND BELMONT
CONTINUOUS 2 to 11 P. M.
WILLIAM FAVERSHAM
In "One Million Dollars," 5 Act Metro. Kleine Travelogue and a Comedy.

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MARY MILES MINTER and GUY COOMBS in the 5 Act Metro Feature, "BARBARA FRIETCHIE."
A "Bud" Comedy and Latest Pathe News.

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"THE SON OF DESTINY."
Also Kleine Travelogue and Selig Weekly.

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JULIAN | BELMONT AT CLARK
CONTINUOUS 2 to 11 P. M.
THEDA BARA in "THE GALLEY SLAVE"
A 5 Reel Fox Feature.

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3411 WEST 12TH STREET
Continuous Performance 1:30 to 11 P. M.
TODAY—TRIANGLE PROGRAM
Julia Dean in MATRIMONY
An Ince Production, Also
Raymond Hitchcock in "STOLEN MAGIC"
A Triangle-Keystone Comedy.

HAMLIN
3826 to 3830 West Madison
—TONIGHT—
HAROLD LOCKWOOD in 'The Buzzard's Shadow'
5 Parts, and Other Reels.
Vocal Selections by LA SALLE OPERA CO.
"In a Class by Itself"

CRAWFORD
Crawford Ave. near Madison St.
CONTINUOUS—1:30 TO 11:30 P. M.
Lillian Lorraine IN "SHOULD A WIFE FORGIVE"

KEDZIE ANNEX Cor. Kedzie and Madison St.
"THE WHITE PEARL"
5 Act Paramount, Featuring MARIE DORO
Also the Latest Pathe News. Latest Ade Fable.

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LOGAN SQUARE | Milwaukee Ave. & Logan Square.
MATINEE and EVENING.
FLORENCE REED
In the Great 5 Act Feature,
"AT BAY"
From Geo. Scarborough's Great Play.

PARAMOUNT
2636-54 Milwaukee Av., nr. Sawyer
CONTINUOUS 2 to 11 P. M.
Today and Tomorrow—Paramount Photoplay.
MARGUERITE CLARK
In "STILL WATERS," 5 Acts.
ADULTS, 10c; CHILDREN, 5c.

AUSTIN

PLAISANCE 466 NORTH PARKSIDE AVE.
TRIANGLE PLAYS. Julia Dean in "Matrimony," 6 Reels. Raymond Hitchcock & Mabel Normand in "Stolen Magic," 2 Reel Keystone.

IRIS—5747 Chicago Av. "The $50,000 Jewel Theft," "The Woman's Whim." Vaudeville.

SOUTHWEST

THE LINDEN— 63RD AND HALSTED
HOBART BOSWORTH
"THE WHITE SCAR."

MISCELLANEOUS

"VICTORY OF VIRTUE." Released by The United Photo Play Co., 29 S. La Salle St.

PEOPLE'S LIFE INSURANCE BUYS STATE BUILDING

Will Change Name of Structure and Use It for Its General Offices.

A big deal in the downtown district was announced yesterday in the sale by Irving Shuman, United States subtreasurer, to the Peoples Life Insurance company, of the new State building at the southwest corner of Randolph street and Fifth avenue and the leasehold interest in the 61x100 feet of ground on which it stands.

It is stated the insurance company assumes an incumbrance of $500,000, pays Mr. Shuman $257,000 in cash, and also conveys property of a reported valuation of $43,000, making in all $800,000. The property conveyed in part payment comprises that belonging to the Nelson estate at Hinsdale, which will be occupied by Mr. Shuman as his home.

The name of the building sold by Mr. Shuman will be changed from that of the "State" to that of the "Peoples Life building," and will become the home office building of the insurance company.

Is Important Step.

The purchase marks an important step in the progress of the company. Starting seven years ago, its business has increased until at the present time it is stated it has over $7,000,000 of business in force, and a home office building was thought to be necessary to the continued progress of the company. It is stated the capital of the company is also being doubled at this time.

Mr. Shuman conceived the idea of centralizing state offices located in Chicago in one building as a necessary step in the simplification of the affairs of the state. Early in 1914 he acquired from Albert Silverman the ninety-nine years lease in the ground at the corner of Randolph street and Fifth avenue for a reported consideration of $200,000.

Completed May, 1, 1915.

The State building was completed May 1, 1915, and about 25 per cent of its space was occupied by several state departments, including the state fire marshal, river and lakes commission, fish and game commission, state board of health, civil service commission, board of pharmacy, state waterway commission, etc. It is stated that over 50 per cent of the remaining space is occupied by canned goods brokers, leather dealers, manufacturers' representatives, K. P. Grand lodge quarters, and the public welfare commission of the city of Chicago.

President Elon Wilson, Secretary Fremont Hoy, and the directors of the company, who were active in carrying through the transaction, announce that practically all the vacant space in the building will be used by the insurance company as its home office quarters, and that the offices will at once be moved to the new quarters. G. V. Cleary & Co. negotiated the deal, while Walter H. Eckert and Lessing Rosenthal attended to the legal details.

Post Opposition Ticket.

An opposition ticket was posted yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Chicago real estate board, thus insuring a contest at the annual election to be held Dec. 15. As previously intimated, it is headed by Valentine H. Surghnor in place of Paul Steinbrecher on the regular ticket, with John A. Carroll for vice president in place of F. D. P. Snelling. Hyde W. Perce for secretary and Moses E. Greenebaum for treasurer on the regular ticket are also on the opposition ticket.

In place of John F. Wallace and Samuel H. Hodge on the advisory board of the valuation committee the opposition ticket has named Buckingham Chandler and W. A. Merigold. In the class A division Edgar M. Snow is named in place of Robert White, in class B George R. Hemingway in place of Roy L. Reichert, and H. N. Tyson in place of William W. Paisley in class D. J. K. Brittain is named instead of Fred C. Bell as chairman of the membership committee, and H. H. Walker as chairman of the legislative committee in place of Ellis Geiger. There are also other minor changes.

The following signatures were attached to the ticket: C. S. Ennis, E. F. Getchell, Thad H. Howe, H. G. Zander, Bartholomew O'Toole, L. A. Kinsey, John Hooker, John E. Colnon, Nelson Thomasson, E. Orris Hart, A. B. Mead, John McConnell, H. H. Banford, T. H. Willis, George S. Eddy, Charles C. and Francis E. Broomell, John D. Wild, B. R. De Young, John T. Boddie, J. Fred McGuire, E. Percy Maynard, H. G. Goodrich.

South Side Flat Sold.

The new high grade six apartment building at 4544-46 Ellis avenue, on 53x180 feet of ground, has been sold by Edward M. Bertha, the builder, to F. R. Sawyer for a reported consideration of $35,000, subject to an incumbrance of $23,500. In part payment Mr. Bertha took the three story building at 2827 West Van Buren street and the two flat building at 414 South Homan avenue. Krause, Beak & Co. were the brokers.

The 159x150 feet at the southeast corner of Grand and Oakwood boulevards has been leased by the Sloane estate to Richard J. Mahoney for ninety-nine years at an annual rent of $1,700. The lessee will improve with a four story steel frame building to contain seven stores, a theater with seating capacity of 1,000, with a hotel of 105 rooms on the upper floors. It is expected to cost about $220,000 and in connection with its construction S. W. Straus & Co. have made a bond issue loan of $140,000, ten years, at 6 per cent.

The property at the southwest corner of East End avenue and Sixty-eighth street, with flat improvements, has been conveyed by J. V. Jacobsen to Charles H. Stressenreuter for a stated consideration of $46,000, subject to an incumbrance of $24,000.

Ellis Avenue Deal.

The property in Ellis avenue, 195 feet north of Forty-second place, lot 58x103 feet, west front, with flat improvements, has been conveyed by Livydell Poole to Peter J. Le Fleur for an indicated consideration of $24,000, subject to an incumbrance of $14,000.

J. P. Egholm has conveyed to Joseph P. Bradley the flat property in Garfield boulevard, eighty-eight feet west of Wood street, lot 59x125 feet, north front, for an indicated consideration of $26,000, subject to an incumbrance of $12,000.

Herman Krueger is having plans prepared for a high grade six apartment building on sixty-five feet of ground in Pine Grove avenue, which he purchased from former Judge Axel Chytraus for $11,000. The building, the plans for which were prepared by David S. Klafter, will cost about $50,000.

Calls 'Em Robbers.

Fayette S. Munro, identified with the Fergus suits, spoke on "State Efficiency and Economy" at the weekly luncheon of the Cook county board yesterday. He declared that the members of the Forty-ninth general assembly were determined to get their hands into the public treasury and to pass as many bills as possible in order to get the money out of the treasury, and it will go down in history, he said, as the robber legislature.

Speaking of the extravagant employment of special attorneys for special departments, he said that one attorney, whom he later named as Hiram B. Gilbert, had received over $60,000 for his services in the course of two years.

He said the penitentiaries, but for the false economic ideas of organized labor, could easily be made not only self-supporting but should realize a handsome surplus instead of the present deficit.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Gunderson's N. Birchwood sub., lots 8 and 9, block 6, rev. stamp $3.50, P. M. T. D. $1,500, Dec. 4 [E. R. Thurman to Alma N. Anderson] ... $ 3,052
Greenview-av., n e cor Arthur, w f, 100x122.92, rev. stamp $10, Dec. 6 [W. H. Westerlund to Joseph T. Tyrrell] ... 10
Loyola-av., 250 e of Glenwood, n f, 50x151, rev. stamp $5, Nov. 29 [Annette J. Sandus to Morris Baer] ... 10
N. Maplewood-av., 313 s of Arthur, e f, 37x124.94, rev. stamp 50c, Sept. 1 [Louise M. Wallen to Elizabeth Becker] ... 10
Parkhurst-av., s e cor Howard-st., w f, 112x150, rev. stamp $10, incumb. $3,008, Dec. 4 [Thomas G. Gage to Minnie Blazer] ... 10
N. Talman-av., 103 n of Arthur, e f, 33x124, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 12 [C. T. & T. Co. to Arthur E. Gammage] ... 10
N. Washtenaw-av., 268 n of Arthur, w f, 33x124, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 27 [C. T. & T. Co., tr., to Jennie C. Carlson] ... 10
Wayne-av., 184 n of Devon, e f, 31x121, rev. stamp $1, P. M. N. $1,303, Dec. 6 [A. T. Galt to Adolph Barquist et al.] ... 2,325

LAKE VIEW.

Argyle-st., 285 e of Western-av., s f, 32x229, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,000, Dec. 3 [R. B. Kilgour to Cerman Emerman] ... 2,500
N. Clark-st., 285 n w of Grace-st., s w f, 30x100, rev. stamp $4.50, incumb. $3,000, Dec. 1 [Emma G. Biehl to Johanna M. Foege] ... 7,500
Hayne-av., N., 76 s of Argyle-st., w f, 26x123, rev. stamp $1.50, Dec. 6 [Nora McEvoy et al., by M. in C., to Per Hankinson] ... 1,175
Lafayette-st., 404 e of Sheridan-rd., s f, 32x110, rev. stamp $10, Nov. 9 [F. W. Spelz to Sherwood S. Mattocks] ... 10
Magnolia-av., 205 n of Leland, n f, 30x178, rev. stamp $4.50, incumb. $6,500, Dec. 4 [Anna Wenter to Ella B. Lee] ... 11,000
Ridge-av., 194 s e of Wayne, s w f, 33x125, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $3,500, Dec. 3 [Theo C. Lustig to Frederick Cronin] ... 10
St. Anthony-ct., n e cor. Ainslie-st., w f, 29x107, rev. stamp $3, Dec. 6 [Richard Borgwaldt to B. John Hultgren] ... 10
Victor-st., s e cor. Ardmore-av., s w f, 121¼x105½x96.8, rev. stamp $16.50, incumb. $33,500, Dec. 1 [Johanna Foege to Joseph P. Bich] ... 50,000
Wellington-st., 425 n of N. Racine-av., s f, 25x124, rev. stamp $1, Aug. 25 [Justina Choginski to Wm. J. Richter] ... 1
Western-av., N., 107 s of Ainslie-st., w f, 100x124, rev. stamp $12, incumb. $3,000, Nov. 13 [John Fuhrmann to Fred A. Froehlich] ... 10

JEFFERSON.

Albany-av., 58 n of Ainslie-st., n f, 30x125, rev. stamp $1, Dec. — [F. E. Souders to Olof Sander] ... 10
Agatite-av., 89 w of Long, n f, 35x125, rev. stamp $5, incumb. $2,800, Nov. 27 [F. A. Boswell to Wm. W. Rundell] ... 4,800
Eastwood-av., 59 e of N. Albany, n f, 60x120, rev. stamp $9, incumb. $14,000, Dec. 4 [Lydia Christiansen to John J. Germaine] ... 10
Hamlin-av., N., 169 s of W. Ainslie-st., e f, 37x131, rev. stamp $1.50, Sept. 2 [C. L. Field to Charles A. Johnson] ... 600
Higgins-av., 184 n w of Milwaukee, s w f, 25x82, March 13, 1912 [Wiebke Schrnook to Theo Dedrichsen] ... 2,000
Lease, dated Sept. 22, 1914—Jefferson, lots 3 and 4, subblock 4, Jefferson village, s and w of Norwood Park, from Oct. 1, 1914, to Sept. 30, 1924, to be occupied for purpose of handling and dealing in lumber, shingles, laths, doors, windows, etc., for no other purpose; rent $624 per annum for first five years and $724 per annum for second 5 year period of this lease; lessee shall at his option have right to purchase the property [the Wilcox company, an Illinois corporation, to John C. Metzlaff] ......
Kenneth-av., 103 s of W. Berteau, e f, 57x124, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,500, Dec. 1 [Elizabeth Kutzner to Charles William Cook] ... 2,575
Lowell-av., 212 s of Cullom, e f, 35x124, rev. stamp $1, incumb. $1,600, Dec. 3 [C. E. Miller to Asa West et al.] ... 1
Lawrence-av., 135 e of N. Washtenaw, s f, 25x125, rev. stamp $1.50, Jan. 20, 1913 [the Hibernian Banking association to Ella Linden] ... 1,250
Montrose-av., W., 58 e of Kimball-av., s f, 50x125, rev. stamp $4, Dec. 4 [Alfred Lavigne to Geo. Saunderson] ... 10
Mason-av., N., 201 s of Montrose-av., w f, 30x125, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 2 [State Bk. of Chgo. to Fred Kemper] ... 175
Parkside-av., 133 s of Belleplaine-av., 35x125, rev. stamp 50c, sub to T. D., Nov. 1 [O. L. Watson to Max Haft] ... 570
School-st., s w cor Menard-av., w f, 127x125, rev. stamp 50c, Sept. 1 [C. E. Gildersleeve to Walter Dzierzanowski] ... 400
Tripp-av., 240 n of Carmen-av., e f, 30x126, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 20 [State Bk. of Chgo. to Wm. A. Buckley] ... 175
Tripp-av., N., 59 n of Ainslie-st., e f, 240x126.86, rev. stamp $4, Dec. 1 [F. W. Freutel et al. to Arndt N. Land] ... 4,000
Tolman-av., N., 148 n of Ardmore-av., e f, 30x124, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 6 [State Bk. of Chgo. to Earl P. Fay] ... 465
Whipple-st., n w cor Ainslie-st., e f, 58x125, rev. stamp $3.50, Nov. 20 [S. R. Smith to Ralph J. Buckley] ... 3,500
Harding-av., N., 95 n of Altgeld-av., w f, 25x125, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $2,000, Dec. 1 [Carl Olsen to Herrman Allrich] ... 4,085
Crawford-av., 58 n of Cornelia-av., w f, 100x125, rev. stamp $5, sub. to incumb., Dec. 1 [Jack Futterman to Bertha Eisenberg] ... 10
Cicero-av., 149 s of Roscoe-st., w f, 75x180, rev. stamp $2.50, Dec. 6 [W. G. Young to Henry L. Appel] ... 10
Central Park-av., 88 n of Waveland, w f, 30x125, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $3,200, Dec. 1 [C. O. Barnes to E. A. Eggert] ... 1
California-av., 180 s of Otto-st, e f, 20x125, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,500, Dec. 2 [S. H. Sheppard to Ethelbertha Ebner] ... 10
Troy-st., N., n. e. cor. W. Byron, w f, 86x125, rev. stamp $12, incumb. $8,000, Dec. 1 [J. P. Biehl to Johanna M. Foege] ... 20,000
Whipple-st., 332 n of Addison, w f, 58x125, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $1,750, July 20 [Joseph Hopp to May L. Armstrong] ... 1,600
Whipple-st., 275 n of Addison, w f, 58x125, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $1,750, July 20 [Joseph Hopp to May L. Armstrong] ... 1,600
Whipple-st., 216 n of Addison, w f, 58x125, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $1,750, July 20 [Joseph Hopp to May L. Armstrong] ... 1,600
Whipple-st., 159 n of Addison, w f, 58x125, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $1,750, July 20 [Joseph Hopp to May L. Armstrong] ... 1,600
Whipple-st., 128 n of Addison, 30x125, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $875, July 20 [Joseph Hopp to May L. Armstrong] ... 800
Avers-av., N., 2734, e f, 30x125, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $3,500, Nov. 26 [W. Kate McKeeney to John Koak] ... 5,000
Humboldt-blvd., 250 s of Belden-av., e f, 50x212, rev. stamp $8, p. p. m. on $10,000, Nov. 24 [Henry Gulner to John Schermann] ... 18,000
Keeler-av., 241 s of Armitage, e f, 35x125, rev. stamp $5, incumb. $7,000, Dec. 2 [Christian Kiefer to Robert Klechak] ... 12,000
Long-av., 166 s of Wrightwood, e f, 25x126, rev. stamp $3.50, incumb. $1,400, Dec. 4 [Adam Bregin to Ludwik Stompor] ... 3,200
Mt. Clare, Clark & S. add., pt. lots 23 and 22, blk. 2, rev. stamp $2, Dec. 2 [Herbert Volk to August Routenberg, tr.] ... 10
Natchez-av., s e cor Humboldt, w f, 96x125, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 10 [J. J. Lovett to John Peterson] ... 10
Newland-av., 50 n of Wrightwood, e f, 50x209, rev. stamp $1, July 28 [J. E. Trevett to Carl Hess] ... 610
64th-av., N., 90 s of Schubert, w f, 100x124, rev. stamp $1, Oct. 20 [Elizabeth O. Booth to Carl O. Darrell] ... 10

NORTH TOWN.

Bissell-st., 292 n of Willow, w f, 24x125, rev. stamp $1, Aug. 11 [August Berndt to Albert C. Berndt] ... 1,600
Dayton-st., 108 s of Weed, w f, 25x126, rev. stamp $3, Nov. 30 [Carl Strey to Christine Wechs] ... 10
High-st., 2317, w f, 25x128, rev. stamp $3, March 24 [Nikolaus Proxmarer to David Lentsch] ... 2,700
Illinois-st., W., 64, s f, 25x100, rev. stamp $1, incumb. $9,000, April 21 [J. C. Mulvaney et al. to Catherine Spain] ... 1
Seminary-av., 2047, w f, 25x128, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $1,000, Dec. 3 [Frederick Cronin to Theo C. Lustig] ... 10

SOUTH TOWN.

Archer-av., 50 s w of 33d-pl., n w f, 75x125, rev. stamp $3, Dec. 4 [Geo. E. Lundin to Wm. M. St. Clair] ... 8,000
5th-av., S., n w cor. 33d-st., e f, 25x75, and o. p., rev. stamp $2, incumb. $2,200, Nov. 1 [Emile T. Pirreault to Josephine Perrilli] ... 4,000
Groveland-av., 205 n of 31st-st., e f, 58x94, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $4,400, Dec. 2 [Charles Steele to Della Reina] ... 10
La Salle-st., 50 s of 24th, e f, 50x125, rev. stamp $3.50, Nov. 30 [Jackson Richardson to Oscar Holmgren] ... 10
La Salle-st., 50 s of 24th, e f, 50x125, rev. stamp $4.50, Dec. 6 [Oscar Holmgren to Edward C. La Belle] ... 4,500
La Salle-st., S., s e cor. W. Van Buren, w f, 101½x101, leasehold estate, subject to trust deed $600,000, Dec. 4 [Wm. H. M. Roche et al. as trustee under provisions of trust agreement known as La Salle terminal trust to Fort Dearborn Hotel Realty Co.] ... 10
Same ppty., Dec. 4 [same to same] ... 25
Lincoln-st., 300 s of 37th, w f, 25x120, rev. stamp $1.50, Jan. 12 [R. B. Pendergast to Herman Loos] ... 1,450
25th-pl., s w cor Canal-st., n f, 25x125, Dec. 1 [W. J. Henrichs, und. 1-3 int., to Samuel P. Clark] ... 1
Michigan-av., 151 n of 35th-st., w f, 25x118, rev. stamp $6, Nov. 22 [J. M. Deggitt to Lura E. Murphy] ... 10
33d-st., 141 w of Ashland-av., n f, 25x125, rev. stamp $2, Dec. 2 [James Leary to John Pavlak] ... 1,600
30th-st., W., 62 e of Homan-av., s f, 24x125, rev. stamp $1.00, Nov. 29 [Ike Rubin et al. to Abraham Horwich] ... 10
23d-st., 225 w of Wentworth-av., s f, 25x67, rev. stamp $2.00, Nov. 20 [J. A. Richert to Nicola Villardita] ... 2
25th-pl., s w cor of Canal-st., n f, 25x125, Dec. 1 [Minnie S. Clark und ⅓ int to E. Clyde Parmelee] ... 1
Same ppty., Dec. 1 [T. J. Henrichs und 1-3 int to Samuel P. Clark] ... 1
Union-av., 166 s of 31st-st., w f, 25x124, rev. stamp $7.00 Dec. 4 [W. C. Geringer to George P Pukelis et al.] ... 6,600

HYDE PARK.

Central-av., 199 n of E. 70th-st., w f, 50x125, rev. stamp $3.50, Dec. 3 [Flora I. Van Cleef to Robert M. Lean] ... 10
Constance-av., 206 n of E. 70th-st., w f, 30x125, rev. stamp $1.00, Nov. 18 [Russell Tyson to N. Albert Iver] ... 900
Cornell-av., 236 s of E. 75th-st., w f, 60x100, rev. stamp $2.00, Nov. 15 Chicago Title & Trust Co., trustee, to August Zanglein] ... 10
East End-av., n w cor of E. 76th-st., e f, 16x109, rev stamp $5 00, Oct. 20 [Chicago Title & Trust Co., trustee, to Jennie A. Beardsley] ... 10
East End-av., s w cor of E. 68th-st., e f, 60x125, rev. stamp $22.00, incumb. $24,000, Nov. 29 [J. V. Jacobsen to Charles H. Stresenreuter] ... 46,000
Kimbark-av., 220 s of E. 81th-st., e f, 40x126, rev. stamp $1.00, incumb. $120, Nov. 30 [Louis Bransky to Rebecca Philips] ... 1
Paxton-av., 233 s of E. 68th-st., e f, 56 2-3x125.77, June 29 [J. A. Chapman to August Bogda] ... 10
Paxton-av., 120 s of E. 68th-st., e f, 56 2-3x125.71, and o. p., June 26 [J. A. Chapman to August Bogda] ... 10
Paxton-av., 120 n of E. 68th-st., e f, 36x125, July 2, 1914 [J. A. Chapman to August Bogda] ... 10
Paxton-av., 120 s of E. 68th-st., e f, 56 2-3x125.71, and o. p., July 27 1914 [August Bogda to Charles A. Bogda] ... 10
Prairie-av., 156 n of E. 108th-st., e f, 31x125, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 4 [The Pullman Trust & S. bank, tr., to Ignacy Sawicki] ... 750
South Park-av., 198 s of 70th-st., w f, 27x126, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $200, Dec. 3 [Henry Morgan to Isse Lowenhaupt] ... 10
Vernon-av., 381 s of E. 111th-pl., w f, 35x115, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $2,400, April 26 [J. E. Sellers to Erik Carlson] ... 4,500
Vernon-av., 231 n of E. 83d-st., w f, 30x124, Oct. 28 [Russell Tyson, tr., to L. Philip Denoyer] ... 590
Yates-av., bet. E. 76th and 77th-sts., e f, 39x125, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 26 [George S. B. Payne to Henrietta Zanglen] ... 1,000

LAKE.

Aberdeen-st., 121 n of W. 81st, w f, 32x124, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $700, Oct. 26 [J. R. O'Connor to Frank E. Kelly] ... 10
Aberdeen-st., 156 s of W. 80th, w f, 32x124, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $1,000, Oct. 23 [J. R. O'Connor to Jane Ryan] ... 10
S. Ada-st., 189 n of W. 80th, w f, 32x124, rev. stamp $4.50, incumb. $4,622, Dec. 6 [J. J. Curtin to Anna C. O'Brien] ... 1
Ada-st., S., n e cor W. 78th-st., n f, 27x178, rev. stamp $1, April 3 [Wm. Esch to Thomas Dolan] ... 525
California-av., s w cor W. 66th-st., e f, 37x125, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 29 [John Bain, Tr., to John H. Reeves] ... 700
Elizabeth-st., 125 n of W. 80th, w f, 64x124, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 22 [C. T. & T. Co. to Julius Rotstein] ... 3,300
Fairchild-av., S., 179 n of W. 73d-st., w f, 30x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 30 [State Bk. of Chgo. to Walter Martin] ... 185
Fairfield-av., S., 99 n of W. 58d-st., e f, 25x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 8 [Geo. Pfeffer to Joseph Freier] ... 10
Fairfield-av., 208 n of 45th-st., e f, 50x125 8-10, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 24 [Felix Pieza et al. to Edward Kohlmann] ... 1
Fairfield-av., 203 n of 45th-st., e f, 25x125 8-10, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 26 [Edward Kohlmann to Felix Pieza] ... 1
Fairfield-av., 233 n of 45th-st., e f, 25x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 26 [Edward Kohlmann to Repolus Andrehunas] ... 1
58th-st., W., 46 w of S. 43d-av., s f, 25x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 26 [H. L. Keri to Thomas Schaefer] ... 10
46th-ct., S., 74 s of W. 46th-st., e f, 96x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 1 [John Dell to Harry L. Keri] ... 10
Green-st., S., s e cor W. 70th, w f, 88x125, rev. stamp $4.50, Nov. 17 [C. T. & T. Co. to Norman G. Nicholson] ... 4,500
Hermitage-av., S., n w cor. W. 44th-st., e f, 50x124, rev. stamp $2, Nov. 18 [R. P. Hollett to Frank Krzysik] ... 10
Harvard-av., 141 s of W. 79th-st., e f, 35x124, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 3 [F. H. Bartlett to James H. Rowley] ... 1
Loomis-st., 75 n of W. 81st, w f, 32x124, rev. stamp $1, July 6 [Robt. Hart et al. to Hans A. Hansen] ... 550
Perry-av., betw. 74th and 75th-sts., e f, 27.66x175.45, rev. stamp $4.50, incumb. $2,200, Dec. 1 [J. P. Long to Emilie Kruger] ... 4,500
Richmond-st., 98 s of W. 52d, e f, 60x125, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 4 [Benj. N. Branch to Vaclav Veselak] ... 10
72d-st., W., 28 e of Bishop, n f, 29x124, rev. stamp $3.50, incumb. $2,684, Nov. 27 [A. J. Green to Frederick R. Johnson] ... 3,100
Throop-st., 235 s of W. 81st, w f, 32x124, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $4,700, Nov. 30 [Maurice Sheehan to Henry Morgan] ... 10
Throop-st., 125 n of W. 80th, e f, 32x124, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $2,500, Nov. 1 [A. J. Erickson to John H. Keiner] ... 10
Whipple-st., S., 439 s of W. 52d, e f, 30x125, rev. stamp 50c, Oct. 18 [J. F. Triska to Frank Zalesky] ... 10
Yale-av., 176 s of W. 79th-st., w f, 35x124, and o. p., rev. stamp $14, Dec. 3 [F. H. Bartlett to James Rowley] ... 1

WEST TOWN.

Augusta-st., 231 e of Rockwell, s f, 31½x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 20 [Shandel Borushak und. ½ int. to Isaac Hirsch] ... 1
Same ppty., Nov. 29 [Shandel Borushak und. ¼ int. to Bertha Borushak] ... 1
Augusta-st., 231 e of Rockwell-st., s f, 31x125, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 29 [Shandel Borushak to Sergius Borushak] ... 1
Harding-av., 124 n of W. 33d-st., e f, 50x125, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 6 [C. C. D. Rempert to Meta L. Rohr] ... 10
Huron-st., W., 150 e of Lincoln-st., s f, 25x123, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,200, Dec. 4 [Conrad Bachman to Frank Sarwak] ... 10
Huron-st., s w cor Leavitt-st., n f, 24x124, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $3,100, Dec. 6 [Marya Gawel to Wladyslaw Hajduk] ... 7,000
Miller-st., 96 n of Gurley-st., e f, 24x102, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $3,500, Dec. 2 [Clotilda Barone to Vito Pacelli et al.] ... 10
Maplewood-av., bet Shakespeare-av. and Frankfort-av., e f, 25x103, rev. stamp $3.50, Dec. 4 [Sherwood Mattocks to Fred W. Spelz] ... 1
Rice-st., 210 w of N. Leavitt-st., n f, 30x125, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $6,000, Nov. 16 [Emilie Macnak to Clara Sadowski] ... 10
Talman-av., 130 n of Altgeld-av., e f, 30x126, rev. stamp $7, Dec. 4 [J. J. Germaine to Lydia Christiansen] ... 10
Walnut-st., 226 e of Paulina-st., n f, 87x103, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $2,500, Nov. 16 [O. M. Brady et al. to Estelle L. Lacy] ... 1
fay-st., 96 s of Polk-st., e f, 48x100, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $3,000, Oct. 16 [Dalima St. Onge to Jos. J. Morand] ... 3,500
Jackson-blvd., W., 261 e of California-av., n f, 26x100, rev. stamp $1, incumb. $2,000, Nov. 19 [Rebecca Neufeld to Nathaniel P. Steinberg] ...

BREMEN.

Township 36, lot 11, block 3, n e ¼ 12, 36, 13, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 4 [John Stolarek to John Jasinski] ... 1,000

BLOOM.

Wallace's add., lots 12 and 15 and s ½ lot 16, Oak Ridge sub., rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 1 [Anna Wolf quitclaims to Frances Johnson] ... 1
Wallace's add., lots 12 and 15 and s ½ lot 16, Oak Ridge sub., rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 1 [C. A. Johnson to Anna Wolf] ... 1
Chicago Heights, Edgewood Av. add., part lot 18, block 1, rev. stamp $3.50, Nov. 19 [Vance F. Foster to Clovis A. Bonvoulolr] ... 3,300

CICERO.

Jem's add., lot 14, 18-39-13, Nov. 20 [C. H. Kessler to Max O. Keeler] ... 10
McCartney & Co. sub., lot 24, blk. 1, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,600, Nov. 26 [Karel Hejnal to Joseph Matulis] ... 3,500
Oak Park, Mellen & P. add., lot 10, blk. 8, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $3,000, Nov. 27 [F. W. Essery to Wm. T. Curran et al.] ... 6,700
Twp. 39, pt. lot 9, blk. 5, 29-39-13, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 30 [Rudolph Zeman to Joseph A. Holpuch] ... 10
22d-st.-blvd. sub., lots 6 and 7, blk. 1, 29-39-13, rev. stamp $4.50, Dec. 4 [Joseph Wolf to Peter C. Bruhn] ... 10
Winslow's 4th sub., lot 27, blk. 9, rev. stamp 50c, Sept. 29 [C. T. & T. Co. to Rosa F. Palmer] ... 10
Austin, Coleman's add., lot 13, block 7, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $500, Nov. 24 [Carl A. Gundersen to Anna A. Ververs] ... 10
Grant Loc. Wks. add., lot 44, block 28, Oct. 7, 1913 [August Wehrmeister to Anna B. Logue] ... 10
Grant Loc. Wks. add., lots 33 and 34, block 46, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 3 [G. A. Pennenhagen to D. F. Hott] ... 10
Hawthorne Manor sub., lot 32, 33, 31, 18, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 15 [C. T. & T. Co. to John N. Russwe] ... 10

LEMONT.

Co. Clk.'s sub., lot 7, 33-37-11, rev. stamp $2, Oct. 9 [Charles Manstrom to Anton Zvinkiewicz] ... 1,600
Twp. 37, pt n e ¼, 33-37-11, Oct. 12 [Chas. Manstrom to same] ... 5

LEYDEN.

Mt. Clare Home add., lot 46, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 15 [Thos. Vines to John Schiplock] ... 450

LYONS.

E. Hinsdale, Western Springs sub., lot 42 and pt. lot 41, blk. 21, rev. stamp $1.50, Dec. 1 [C. T. Co., tr., to Paul Hoffmann] ... 750
La Grange, lot 19, blk. 2, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 26 [T. P. Jacobs to Carl Jensen] ... 700
McIntosh, Lawndale-av. sub., lots 29 and 30, blk. 4, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 6 [State Bank of Chicago to Jesse J. Hutson] ... 210
Summit, 5a add., lots 13 to 15, block 5, rev. stamp $1.50, Aug. 25 [C. T. & T. Co. to Teresie Pfohl et al.] ... 1

NEW TRIER.

Chgo. N. Shore Land Co. sub., lot 13, block 2, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 1 [J. Fred McGuire to Mary F. Phillips] ... 10
Chgo. N. Shore Land Co. sub., lots 19 and 20, block 2, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 1 [J. Fred McGuire to Mary A. Collins] ... 10
Chgo. N. Shore Land Co. sub., lots 21 and 22, block 2, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 1 [same to Robert McKenty] ... 10
Wilmette, Single's resub., lots 6, 7, and 8, block 1, rev. stamp $1, incumb. $400, Oct. 29 [B. F. J. Odell to Metilla Trute] ... 10
Wilmette, McDaniels' add., lot 6, block 8, and o. p., rev. stamp $1, Nov. 19 [J. X. Lundquist to Robt J. Magee] ... 800
Wilmette, McDaniels' add., lot 9, block 8, rev. stamp $3.50, incumb. $3,750, Dec. 1 [E. H. Lyons to Christian F. Hess] ... 10
Wilmette, Westerfield's add., lot 6, block 8, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,000, Nov. 30 [F. J. Casey to Max Hartling] ... 1
Wilmette, Wilson's add., lot 5, block 9, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $11,000, Sept. 29 [Northwestern university to Clara M. Stewart] ... 15,000
Winnetka, part block 3, 20-42-13, rev. stamp $3.50, Nov. 1 [H. K. Tenney to Elizabeth T. Cheney] ... 1
Winnetka, McGuire & O. Arbor Vitae rd. sub., lot 4, rev. stamp $2.50, Nov. 23 [C. T. & T. Co., trustee, to Willis S. Hilpert] ... 10

NILES.

Twp. 11, part e ½ s w ¼ 29-41-13, rev. stamp $1, March 2, 1869 [Christoph Dose to Carl Pahgel] ... 650
Twp. 41, part lot 5, part e ½ s e ¼ 22-25-41-13, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $6,000, Nov. 27 [Louis Wittbold to Kenilworth Nursery Co.] ... 7,500
Munos sub., lot 6, pt. s e ¼ 25-41-13, rev. stamp $7.50, Dec. 1 [C. P. Muno to Thos. F. Joyce] ... 10

NORWOOD PARK.

Bartlett Lawrence-av. sub., pt. lot 10, block 1, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 24 [Sarah J. Wait to Max Krauss] ... 10
Orland village, lots 1 and 2, block 3, rev. stamp $2.50, Nov. 26 [Bertha Katt quitclaims to Alexander Wagner] ... 2,500
Bellewood, lots 326 to 329, 9-37-12, Jan. 8, 1913 [Est. F. S. Johnson to Fred L. Johnson] ... 700

PROVISO.

Harlem, S. add., lot 31 and pt. lot 32, block 5, rev. stamp 50c, Nov. 27 [Byron A. Millre to Albert Roos] ... 1
Harlem, Farley's add., pt. lot 6, block 3, rev. stamp $1.50, Dec. 4 [Fanchion M. Reichard to Frank W. Essery] ... 1,100
Madison-st. add., lots 139 and 140, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,500, Nov. 12 [F. W. Essery to Jacob Goldman] ... 3,400
Maywood, lots 9 and 19, block 110, rev. stamp $2.50, Nov. 27 [P. E. Wolf to Fred Spruhde] ... 1
Melrose Pk., Ulrich's Pioneer add., lots 11 and 12, block 18, rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $1,700, Aug. 16 [Fred Spruhde to Lynda Ulrich] ... 1

RIDGEVILLE.

Bridges' Sub., lot 5 and part lot 6, 7-41-14, rev. stamp $5, Nov. 23 [R. E. Belknap to Curtis P. Brady] ... 10
Bridges' Sub., lot 4, 7-41-14, rev. stamp $12, Nov. 23 [Elizabeth T. Belknap to Curtis P. Brady et al.] ... 10
Commons' Sub., lot 16, block 2, 12-41-13, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,600, Oct. 23 [T. J. Roche to Amanda E. Shall et al.] ... 2,950
Culver's Sub., part lot 2, s w ¼, 12-41-13, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 3 [Minnie L. Kippelman to Carrie V. Wide] ... 10
Twp. 41, part n e ¼, 36-41-14, rev. stamp $2.50, P. M. N., Nov. 13 [Elizabeth Coady to Arthur F. Weber] ... 4,300

MISCELLANEOUS.

Oak Park, Tolleston add., lots 28 and 30, block 5, rev. stamp $4, Dec. 1 [Geo. M. Ruff to Herman H. Wiefel] ... 4,000

Building Permits.

N. Central-av., 704, 2 story frame residence, Emma C. Sodenberg, 745 Midway-park; F. M. Pray, arch.; mason not given; J. Earle, carp. ... $ 1,500
N. Hamlin-av., 3746-50-54-58, four 1 story brick residences, Kasper & Zander, no address; L. H. Heinz, arch.; A. W. Jensen, mason; owner is carp. ... 15,600
N. Knox-av., 3024, 1 story brick residence, Kasper & Zander, no address; L. H. Heinz, arch.; A. W. Jensen, mason; owner is carp. ... 3,800
N. Central Park-av., 3140, 3 story brick flats, John Gustowski, 3138 N. Central Park-av.; A. A. Tocha, arch.; J. F. Schrambeck, mason; J. Muslowski, carp. ... 6,100
N. Clark-st., 7365-71, 2 story brick store and apartments, S. R. Tonhy, 118 N. La Salle-st.; Niels Buck, arch.; T. C. Naylor, mason; B. J. Regneki, carp. ... 32,000
Euclid-av., 7429-31, 1 story frame residence, H. C. Anderson, 7301 Eberhart-av.; J. N. Coleman, arch.; A. F. Seaberg, mason; owner is carp. ... 4,500
Michigan-av., 4131-33, 3 story brick apartments, James Griffin, 4127 Michigan-av.; E. A. Blondin, arch.; Edwards Bros., mason; J. C. Jensen, carp. ... 16,000
Dayton-st., 1515-25, 1 story brick factory, E. H. Wachr, 149 W. Grand-av.; H. P. Beers, arch.; A. T. Kramer, mason and carp. ... 35,000
Calumet-av., 5915-17, 3 story brick flats, Kelly Bros., 911 W. 63d-st.; A. G. Lund, arch.; D. O. Crilly, mason; carp. not let ... 30,000
Sheridan-rd., 644-46, 3 story brick residence, Dr. Max Thorek, 3158 Douglas-blvd.; Mr. Froncl, arch.; Dan Radice, mason; A. E. Sundstrom, carp. ... 34,000
Crystal-st., 4827, 1 story frame dwelling, C. L. Knutson, 4942 Cortez-st.; owner is arch., mason, and carp. ... 2,200
Calumet-av., 8332, 1 story frame residence, H. Schildhouse, 83d-st. and South Park-av.; E. Braucher, arch.; owner is mason and carp. ... 1,500
W. Madison-st., 5674-78-80, 1 story brick stores, F. Meehan, 9 N. Waller-av.; M. Walter, arch.; F. Kavanagh, mason; F. S. Bater, carp. ... 4,000
Armitage-av., 2514-28, 1 story brick addition, W. J. & C. C. Keese, 2514 Armitage-av.; W. Ganger, arch.; Scown Building Co., mason and carp. ... 5,500
Rascher-av., 1732-34, 2 story brick apartments, Dick Johnson, 1453 Balmoral-av.; E. Benson, arch.; Union Co., mason; J. A. Lundstrom, carp. ... 5,000
University-av., 6219-21-23, 3 story brick flats, Dr. A. K. Fraur, 6320 Woodlawn-av.; F. Foltz & Son, arch.; Anderson & Winblad, mason; Thogerson & Ereckson, carp. ... 25,000
Constance-av., 6828, 2 story brick residence, Jackson Park Highland Co., Hartford Bldg.; J. R. Stone, arch.; Joslyn Bros., mason; carp. not given ... 18,000
Drake-av., 4815, 2 story frame flats, Gus Ludwig, 4711 Knox-av.; E. Braucher, arch.; P. Wahl, mason; owner is carp. ... 3,200
W. Twelfth-st., 4704-10, 3 story brick grain elevator, H. H. Hanks Co., 4708 W. Twelfth-st.; D. S. Pentecost, arch.; B. Carlson, mason; not given ... 12,000
W. One Hundred and Thirteenth-st., 252, 2 story frame flats, J. Boorda, 253 W. One Hundred and Thirteenth-st.; A. F. Hughes, arch.; Calumet Construction Co., mason; G. Bulleme, carp ... 2,000
South Park-av., 7522, 1 story brick residence, W. J. Wheeler, 7526 Champlain-av.; E. Braucher, arch.; Faber Construction Co., mason; O. A. Johnson, carp. ... 3,500
E. Eighty-sixth-pl., 826, 1 story brick residence, A. D. Danielsen, 826 E. Eighty-sixth-pl.; A. G. Ferrie, arch.; Faber Construction Co., mason; owner is carp. ... 3,000
Marquette-rd., 8215, 1 story brick residence, A. Stockman, 2718 E. Eighty-seventh-st.; France Roy, arch.; owner is mason and carp. ... 1,700
E. Seventy-second-st., 2518-20, 3 story brick apartments, J. C. Crist, 7017 Jeffery-av.; L. E. Russell, arch.; A. T. Herlin, mason; not let ... 20,000
Warren-av., 2433, 2 story brick addition, City of Chicago; Kallal, arch.; Warner Construction Co., mason; not given ... 16,000
Grace-st., 4704, 1 story frame residence, O. A. Stoppel, no address; N. Buch, arch.; Stewert & Callsen Co., mason; A. W. Bulkner, carp. ... 2,000
N. Kedzie-av., 4426-29, 2 story brick engine house, City of Chicago; C. W. Kallal, arch.; Warner Construction Co., mason; not given ... 19,000
Warner-av., 2001-11, 3 story brick apartments, W. F. Henry, 118 North La Salle-st.; R. Friedman, arch.; C. Chapman, mason; J. Schmidt, carp. ... 80,000
Grand-av., 5025-27, 2 story brick stores and flats, Joseph Smid, 2251 North Mango-av.; J. F. Houda, arch.; John Layke, mason; J. Smid, carp. ... 8,000
N. Sawyer-av., 3000, 2 story brick flats, Carl Nelson, 2522 Smalley-ct.; T. J. Reynertson, arch.; J. B. Couleur, mason; C. Nelson, carp. ... 5,500
Iowa-st., 2351-55, 2 three story brick flats, Jacob Taff, 1547 South Hamlin-av.; A. L. Himelblan, arch.; Douglas Construction Co., mason; owner is carp ... 11,000
Cottage Grove-av., 5016-26, 1 story brick garage, Louis Neroman, no address; W G. Uffendell, arch.; Henry Ericcson, mason and carp. ... 18,000
Lawler-av., 2219, 2 story frame flats, A. E. Johnson, 4736 McLean-av.; E. Braucher, arch.; J. A. Ross & Co., mason; owner is carp. ... 4,000
N. Spaulding-av., 2614-44, 3 story brick flats, Ole Peterson, 6742 Normal-av.; J. A. Ahlslager & Son, arch.; Jensen & Steenhill, mason; not let ... 180,000

REPORT OF RECORDER.

Joseph F. Connery, recorder of deeds and registrar of titles, makes the following report of real estate transactions filed in the recorder's office and registrar of titles [Torrens] office for November, 1915, showing a comparison with the like period of 1914:

RECORDER'S OFFICE.

Real Estate Transfers.	1915.	1914.
Number	4,749	4,676
State consideration	$ 7,881,243	$ 7,420,424
Gain in consideration	460,819	
Gain in number	73	
Trust Deeds and Mortgages.		
Number	4,080	3,692
Stated consideration	16,075,774	11,732,697
Gain in consideration	4,343,077	
Gain in number	388	

TORRENS OFFICE.

Real Estate Transfers.		
Number	358	315
Stated consideration	365,185	378,397
Decrease in consideration	13,212	
Gain in number	43	
Trust Deeds and Mortgages.		
Number	329	236
Stated consideration	857,779	552,396
Gain in consideration	305,383	
Gain in number	93	
Applications for Initial Registration.		
Number	63	63
Stated consideration	235,150	204,500
Gain in consideration	30,650	

HOGS FIRM UP; MARKET ACTIVE

Supply of 43,000 Head Well Taken; Cattle and Sheep Steady; Lambs Off.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

HOGS.

Bulk of sales	$6.10@6.65
Common to good mixed	5.90@6.35
Fair to choice medium weights	6.40@6.60
Lightweights	6.00@6.50
Fair to choice heavy butchers	6.60@6.70
Fair to fancy heavy shipping	6.60@6.70
Selected 200@300 lb packing	6.60@6.65
Boars, according to weight	2.50@3.50
Pigs	4.90@5.50
Stags	6.00@6.50

CATTLE.

Beef steers, good to choice	$8.50@10.50
Beef steers, fair to good	7.00@ 8.50
Beef steers, common to fair	4.85@ 7.00
Yearlings	8.25@10.50
Beef cows	4.25@ 7.00
Fat heifers, fair to selected	4.75@ 7.75
Canners and cutters	3.50@ 4.65
Good to prime vealers	8.50@10.00
Bulls	4.25@ 6.75

SHEEP.

Western wethers	$5.75@6.50
Yearlings	5.85@7.50
Western ewes	5.00@6.25
Bucks	4.25@4.75
Native lambs	7.85@9.25
Fed western lambs	8.00@9.10
Cull lambs	6.50@7.75

Hog market at Chicago yesterday had an uncertain and slow start, but developed activity and strength as the session progressed and closed strong, as compared with Monday's finish. Receipts were posted at 43,000 head, the best of which sold at $6.70, with the bulk at $6.10 @6.65. Packers, shippers and speculators took hold freely at the prices and few hogs were left in first hands at the close.

Cattle receipts of 6,000 head consisted chiefly of low priced steers, cows and heifers, which sold at Monday's low closing figures. The best steers offered sold at $9.65, while the bulk cleared at $7.15@8.50. Cows sold at $5.00@6.00 for the bulk, while heifers made $5.00@7.25. Calves met with a restricted demand and were weakly held at recent sharp reductions, prime vealers going over the scales at $10.00.

Lambs Drop; Sheep Steady.

Lambs sold at a decline of 15c, while sheep and yearlings were without important change. Receipts were posted at 13,000 head and consisted chiefly of lambs, the best of which sold at $9.25 for fed westerns and $9.10 for natives. Packers bought most of the prime lots at $9.00. Western ewes sold up to $6.10@6.15, and were quotable up to $6.25 for light weights.

Hog purchases for the day: Armour & Co., 9,500; Swift & Co., 6,000; Sulzberger & Sons, 3,800; Morris & Co., 4,000; Anglo-American, 3,200; Hammond, 3,300; Boyd-Lunham, 2,000; Roberts & Oake, 1,800; Western Packing company, 2,000; Miller & Hart, 700; Independent Packing company, 2,300; Brennan Packing company, 1,500; butchers, 2,000; shippers, 4,000; total, 46,200; left over, 9,000.

Movement at Chicago Yards.

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, Dec. 6	34,926	1,497	75,320	30,166
Tuesday, Nov. 30	7,558	2,042	49,263	11,794
Tuesday, Dec. 7	6,000	2,000	43,000	13,000
Shipments—				
Monday, Dec. 6	4,024	.....	5,399	2,169
Tuesday, Nov. 30	639	62	6,437	......
Tuesday, Dec. 7	1,000	100	6,000	500

Receipts for Dec. 8 were estimated at 20,000 cattle, 53,000 hogs, and 22,000 sheep, against actual arrivals of 15,255 cattle, 34,196 hogs, and 11,968 sheep for Wednesday, Dec. 9, 1914.

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 19,000; steady to 5c higher; bulk, $6.15@6.50; heavy, $6.45@6.57½; packers and butchers, $6.25@6.50; light, $6.10@6.37½; pigs, $5.25@6.20. CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000; steady to strong. SHEEP—Receipts, 9,700; steady; closed weak; lambs, $8.35@8.85.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 7.—CATTLE—Steady; supply light. SHEEP—Steady; supply light; lambs, $6.00@9.40. HOGS—Steady; receipts, 20 double decks; prime heavies, $6.70@6.75; mediums and heavy Yorkers, $6.55@6.60; light Yorkers, $6.00@6.15; pigs, $5.50@5.75.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Dec. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 12,800; market 10c higher; pigs and lights, $5.25@6.65; mixed and butchers, $6.40@6.70; good heavy, $6.60@6.72½. CATTLE—Receipts, 5,700; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,300; steady; lambs, $8.25@9.10.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700; fairly active and easy. HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; active; heavy, $6.50@6.60; mixed, $6.45@6.50; Yorkers, $6.00@6.50; pigs, $5.50@5.75. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,400; active; lambs, $6.00@9.50.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 10,800; strong. Heavy, $6.15@6.30; light, $6.25@6.35; pigs, $5.25@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.20@6.30. CATTLE—Receipts, 6,200; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 18,000; steady; lambs, $8.25@8.65.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 16,200; 15c lower; range, $5.50@6.15; bulk, $5.85@5.90. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,800; steady to slow. SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; steady; lambs, $3.00@3.50.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 18,000; steady to strong; top, $6.50; bulk, $6.25@6.45. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500; slow and lower. SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; 10c lower; lambs, $8.00@8.75.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500; weak to 10c lower. HOGS—Receipts, 8,500; strong to 5c higher; top, $6.25; bulk, $6.05@6.25. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; strong.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—BEEVES—Receipts, 850; no trading. SHEEP—Receipts, 3,100; strong; lambs, $8.00@9.75. HOGS—Receipts, 4,780; steady at $6.25@6.90.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

CERTIFICATES OF INCORPORATION were issued at Springfield yesterday by Secretary of State Stevenson as follows:

The Inkless Finger Print company, Chicago; capital, $5,000; to manufacture and deal in banking and office supplies and commodities. Incorporators, Herbert T. Yuenger, Arthur J. Knight, and Condit Voorhees.

Jiffy Duplicator company, Chicago; to engage in manufacture and sale of duplicators. Incorporators, James T. Fales, Luther D. Swanstrom, and Maurice Kozyns.

Omega Electric company, Chicago; to manufacture and repair machinery and appliances. Incorporators, F. O. Singer, Emil Glick, and John L. Robinson.

CHANGES

The Floraville Creamery association, Floraville; charter renewed.

The New Era Engineering company, Joliet; increase in capital from $30,000 to $200,000.

Freeport Hotel company, Freeport; increase in capital from $60,000 to $300,000.

The International Motion Picture company, Chicago; dissolved.

The Old Style Distilling company, Chicago; decrease in capital stock from $75,000 to $7,500.

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TRADE COUNCIL URGES FOREIGN CREDIT SYSTEM

Chicagoan Advocates Bank to Extend Time to Alien Buyers.

New York, Dec. 7.—The need in America of a credit system for foreign buyers if this country is to take its rightful place in the commerce of the world was emphasized in addresses today at the international trade conference being held here under the auspices of the National Association of Manufacturers.

It was urged again at a banquet tonight by speakers from South American countries, who included Ambassador Domicio da Gama of Brazil and Minister Frederico Alfonso Pezet of Peru.

John J. Arnold, vice president of the First National bank of Chicago, advocated the establishment of an American bank for foreign credit. To accomplish this, he said, an amendment to the banking laws would have to be made permitting American banks to subscribe to capital for the establishment of such an institution.

Would Develop Foreign Trade.

"Participation in such an organization should not be limited to any one city or section of the country," Mr. Arnold said, "and in this way an organization having for its object the development of foreign trade for the entire nation would likely result. Such an undertaking would properly distribute the responsibility and at the same time limit the liability of the banks interested."

A proposal somewhat similar to that of Mr. Arnold was made by the committee on banking and currency. The committee, however, favored having subscriptions to the stock made by business houses doing a foreign trade.

Urges Stronger Foreign Policy.

It would have them take a block of stock worth about $1,000 each and in this manner a capital of $15,000,000, the committee felt assured, could be raised to start on and be increased from time to time as the necessity arose.

Discussing foreign securities and the American investor, Mortimer L. Schiff of this city declared he believed it useless for any one to try to create a market in this country for this class of investments until the United States "adopts a stronger foreign policy."

HIGHWAY EXPERTS INSPECT MILWAUKEE AVENUE PAVING

American Association Visitors Are Taken Over Stretch of State Aid Concrete Road.

Members of the board of Cook county commissioners and members of the Associated Roads organization of Chicago and Cook county escorted the visiting officials of the American Association of State Highways yesterday on an inspection tour of the state aid road on Milwaukee avenue. The procession left the Hotel La Salle and continued north to Sheridan road, thence to Diversey boulevard, and thence out northwest in Milwaukee avenue to the "House that Jack built," at the Desplaines river.

The new state aid road on Milwaukee avenue is the longest stretch of concrete road in Illinois. Present plans call for an extension of the pavement in 1916 north to the county line.

The American association includes every state in the Union which maintains a regular highway department, and practically all of these states are represented at the present meeting now in session at the Hotel La Salle. It is the second annual meeting. The reliability of the concrete road and the further progress that is to be made in the various states are being discussed.

PAWNERS SELL PLEDGES ESTIMATED AT $20,000.

Goods Left Unredeemed Are Auctioned Off by State Society at Wabash Avenue Sale.

Goods estimated at about $20,000 in original value were auctioned off yesterday by the First State Pawners' society at its sale of unredeemed pledges. The ticket numbers ranged from 208,976 to 232,497. The pawned articles were put under the hammer at 624 South Wabash avenue.

The society was organized sixteen years ago by its president, John V. Farwell, John G. Shedd, Edward B. Butler, and others, to save needy persons from the clutches of loan sharks. The loans are made at the rate of 1 per cent a month.

The first year the society made loans amounting to $257,000. For the year closing Sept. 30, 1915, the business amounted to $1,800,000.

Student Speeder Fined.

Noel Seeburg, 4224 Hazel avenue son of J. P. Seeburg, a piano manufacturer, and freshman in Northwestern university, was fined $10 yesterday by Justice John F. Boyer of Evanston for speeding.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO postoffice as follows:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, and Africa, 7 p. m.
For Cuba, 5:30 p. m.
For Alaska, 9 p. m.
For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.
For Jamaica and West Indies, 12 p. m.
Specially addressed correspondence for Italy, Switzerland, Serbia, Roumania, and Greece, via Naples, by S. S. Verona, Thursday, Dec. 9, 12 midnight.
For Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria, Luxemburg, and Turkey, via Bergen, by S. S. Kristianiafjord, Thursday, Dec. 9, 12 midnight.
For Europe [except Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria, Luxemburg, and Turkey], Africa, West Asia, and East Indies, via Liverpool, by S. S. St. Louis, Thursday, Dec. 9, 12 midnight.
For Panama, Canal Zone, Cauca and Narino Departments of Colombia, Ecuador, Bolivia, Peru [except Iquitos], and Chile, via New Orleans, by S. S. Turrialba, Thursday, Dec. 9, 5:45 p. m.
For Great Britain and Ireland by S. S. St. Louis, Friday, Dec. 10, 11:45 a. m.
For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Egypt, Greece, British India, Roumania, Serbia, Italy, and France, via Bordeaux, by S. S. Lafayette, Friday, Dec. 10, 11:45 a. m.
For Japan, China, and Corea, via Seattle, by S. S. Awa Maru, Friday, Dec. 10, 9 p. m.
For Hawaii, via San Francisco, by S. S. Wilhelmina, Saturday, Dec. 11, 12 midnight.
For Hawaii, Japan, China, Corea and Philippines, via San Francisco, by S. S. Chiyo Maru, Wednesday, Dec. 15, 8:30 p. m.
For Japan, China, and Corea, via Seattle, by S. S. Hawaii Maru, Friday, Dec. 17, 9 p. m.
For Philippines, via Seattle, Wash., by S. S. Hawaii Maru, Saturday, Dec. 18, 9 p. m.
For Hawaii, via San Francisco, by S. S. Manoa, Saturday, Dec. 18, 12 midnight.
For Hawaii, Australia, New Zealand [except parcel post], New Caledonia, and Fiji islands, via Seattle, Wash., and Victoria, B. C., by S. S. Makura, Saturday, Dec. 18, 9 p. m.

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BOSTON STOCK QUOTATIONS

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 7.—The market was quiet today, with few changes. Copper stocks were dull and moved in a narrower range. Coal stocks were again firm. Call money ruled at 3@3½ per cent; time loans, short dates, 3@3½ per cent; time loans, six months, 3½@4 per cent; time loans, one year, 4@4¼ per cent.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Alaska	2,165	23⅞	24⅛	23⅝	24
Algomah	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Allouez	40	56½	57	56	56
Am. Zinc	3,045	70⅛	70⅛	68⅞	68½
Anaconda	100	88½	88⅛	87⅞	87⅞
Ariz. Coml.	50	7⅝	7⅝	7½	7½
Butte A. Scott	200	10⅛	10¼	10⅛	10¼
Butte & Bal.	200	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
Butte & Sup.	1,800	72⅝	73⅛	71⅞	72
Cal. & Ariz.	549	67⅝	69¼	67½	69¼
Cal. & Hecla	6	550	550	550	550
Chino	83	55	55⅜	54⅝	54½
Copper Range	190	58	58⅛	57	57¼
East Butte	680	16	16⅛	16	16⅛
Franklin	25	9¼	9¼	9¼	9⅜
Granby	333	80⅞	81	80⅛	80½
Hancock	10	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
Helvetia	200	45c	45c	45c	45c
Indiana	20	6½	6½	6½	6½
Inspiration	10	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛
Island Creek	840	47¼	49	47	49
Kerr Lake	750	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Keweenaw	150	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Lake	420	16	16	16	16
La Salle	100	5⅜	5 9-16	5⅜	5⅜
Mass Cons.	200	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
Mohawk	325	87	87	86¼	86½
Nev. Cons.	20	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
New Arc.	343	10⅛	10⅛	10	10
Nipissing	170	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
N. Butte	320	31⅝	31⅝	31	31
Old Col. Mng.	10	3	3	3	3
Old Dom.	40	58	58	58	58
Osceola	20	85	85	84½	84½
Pond Creek	1,117	16⅛	16⅝	16	16½
Quincy	45	85¼	85¼	85	85
Ray	100	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
Santa Fe	100	3½	3½	3½	3½
Shannon	25	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
Shattuck	2,170	35⅜	35½	35	35⅜
South Lake	50	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
South Utah	50	25c	25c	25c	25c
St. Marys	40	59	59	59	59
Sup. & Bos.	220	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Tamarack	260	49½	49½	48	48
Trinity	741	9⅞	10¼	9⅞	9⅞
Tuolumne	100	35c	35c	35c	35c
U. S. Smelters	219	46½	47	46½	46½
Do pfd	186	48⅞	49	48⅞	49
Utah Apex	215	3½	3½	3¼	3½
Utah Cons	175	11⅞	12	11⅞	11⅞
Utah Copper	175	80⅜	80⅜	79⅞	79⅞
Winona	50	3½	3½	3⅜	3⅜
Wolverine	25	58	58	58	58
RAILROADS.					
Bos. Elev.	30	81	81⅝	81	81¼
Bos. & Me.	15	34¼	34¼	34¼	34¼
Bos. & Pro.	20	230	230	230	230
Fitchburg pf.	11	73	73	72	72
Mass. Elec.	10	7	7	7	7
Do pfd	100	37	37	37	37
N.Y.,N.H.& H.	581	77¼	78¼	72½	72½
West End St.	74	64	64	64	64
Do pfd	1	84	84	84	84
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Am. Agr. pfd.	143	100	100	100	100
Amoskeag	10	66	66	66	66
Do pfd	22	100½	100½	100½	100½
Am. Pneu. Svc.	25	2¼	2⅜	2¼	2¼
Am. Sugar	133	117	119	117	117½
Do pfd	92	118½	118½	118	118½
Am. T. & T.	629	128⅛	129⅛	128⅝	129
A. G. & W. I.	112	31	32¼	31	32¼
Do pfd	100	46½	46½	46½	46½
E. Bos. Land	120	9	9⅛	9	9
Edison	40	242½	242½	242½	242½
Gen. Elec.	10	176½	176½	176½	176½
Mass. Gas	23	85¾	86	85¾	85¾
Do pfd	4	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
McElwain pfd.	20	99	99	99	99
Mergenthaler	13	187	187	187	187
N. E. Tel.	63	133	133	132	132
Pullman	3	167	167	167	167
Reece Button	10	16	16	16	16
Swift	526	126⅝	127⅛	126⅝	127
Torrington	110	33	35	34½	34½
United Fruit	1,232	145	146	144⅛	145⅝
Do rights	7,830	5⅛	5½	5⅛	5½
Un. Shoe Mch.	2,498	53⅛	53⅝	51⅛	51½
Do pfd	90	29	29	29	29
U. S. Steel	2,420	86⅝	88⅛	86⅝	87
Do pfd	2,530	116⅛	116⅛	116	116
Ventura Oil	1,815	12½	13	12½	12½
West. Union	85	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛
Wollaston Ld.	40	1⅜	1½	1¼	1½
BONDS.					
$5,000 Am. T.&T. 4½s		107⅛	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
500 A.G.&W.I. 5s		78⅛	78⅛	77½	77½
1,000 C.,B.&Q. jt. 4s		98	98	98	98
1,000 Mass. Gas 4½s		97¼	97¼	97¼	97¼
1,000 Pond Creek 6s		94	94	94	94
16,000 Swift 5s		98⅛	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1,000 West End St. R. R. 4s		99½	99½	99½	99½
3,000 West. Tel. 5s		99½	99½	99½	99½

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Following is the forecast issued by the Chicago forecast district:

Illinois—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, and South Dakota—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

Wisconsin and Minnesota—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday, slightly colder Wednesday.

North Dakota—Fair Wednesday and probably Thursday with moderate temperature.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Indiana—Partly cloudy Wednesday, Thursday fair.

Ohio—Cloudy south, probably snow or rain north Wednesday, Thursday cloudy, except snow flurries near the lakes.

Lower Michigan—Snow Wednesday and Thursday.

Upper Michigan—Snow and colder Wednesday, Thursday fair.

Place of observation. Dec. 7, 1915. 7:00 p. m., Central time.	Temperature	Lowest last night	Highest	State of weather	Wind	Precipitation 24 hours
Eastern states—						
Albany	[illegible]					
Atlanta	[illegible]					
Boston	[illegible]					
Buffalo	[illegible]					
Charleston	[illegible]					
New York	[illegible]					
Parkersburg	[illegible]					
Philadelphia	[illegible]					
Pittsburgh	[illegible]					
Raleigh	[illegible]					
Washington	[illegible]					
Gulf states—						
Abilene	[illegible]					
Amarillo	[illegible]					
El Paso	[illegible]					
Galveston	[illegible]					
Jacksonville	[illegible]					
Miami	[illegible]					
Mobile	[illegible]					
Montgomery	[illegible]					
New Orleans	[illegible]					
San Antonio	[illegible]					
Shreveport	[illegible]					
Tampa	[illegible]					
Vicksburg	[illegible]					
East-central—						
Alpena	[illegible]					
Cairo	[illegible]					
Chicago	[illegible]					
Cincinnati	[illegible]					
Cleveland	[illegible]					
Detroit	[illegible]					
Escanaba	[illegible]					
Evansville	[illegible]					
Fort Wayne	[illegible]					
Grand Haven	[illegible]					
Grand Rapids	[illegible]					
Green Bay	[illegible]					
Indianapolis	[illegible]					
Madison	[illegible]					
Marquette	[illegible]					
Memphis	[illegible]					
Milwaukee	[illegible]					
Nashville	[illegible]					
Peoria	[illegible]					
Ste. Marie	[illegible]					
Sp'gfield, Ill.	[illegible]					
West Central—						
Bismarck	[illegible]					
Charles City	[illegible]					
Concordia	[illegible]					
Davenport	[illegible]					
Des Moines	[illegible]					
Devil's Lake	[illegible]					
Dodge	[illegible]					
Dubuque	[illegible]					
Duluth	[illegible]					
Huron	[illegible]					
Kansas City	[illegible]					
Keokuk	[illegible]					
Little Rock	[illegible]					
Moorhead	[illegible]					
North Platte	[illegible]					
Oklahoma	[illegible]					
Omaha	[illegible]					
Rapid City	[illegible]					
Sioux City	[illegible]					
St. Louis	[illegible]					
St. Paul	[illegible]					
Springf'd, Mo.	[illegible]					
Wichita	[illegible]					
Williston	[illegible]					
Mountain states—						
Boise	[illegible]					
Cheyenne	[illegible]					
Denver	[illegible]					
Havre	[illegible]					
Helena	[illegible]					
Lander	[illegible]					
Miles City	[illegible]					
Phoenix	[illegible]					
Pueblo	[illegible]					
S. Lake City	[illegible]					
Sheridan	[illegible]					
Yellowstone P.	[illegible]					
Pacific states—						
Fresno	[illegible]					
Los Angeles	[illegible]					
Portland, Ore.	[illegible]					
Sacramento	[illegible]					
San Francisco	[illegible]					
San Diego	[illegible]					
Spokane	[illegible]					
Walla Walla	[illegible]					
Canadian—						
Battleford	[illegible]					
Calgary	[illegible]					
Edmonton	[illegible]					
Medicine Hat	[illegible]					
Minnedosa	[illegible]					
Montreal	[illegible]					
Quebec	[illegible]					
Qu'Appelle	[illegible]					
Toronto	[illegible]					
White River	[illegible]					
Winnipeg	[illegible]					

PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Firmness pervaded the market for fresh and cold storage offerings. Receipts, 2,543 cases. Quotations:

Firsts	29@30c	Dirties	16@17c
Ordinary firsts	27@28c	Checks	15@16c
Miscellaneous, cases returned	19½@28½c	Storage, Aprils	21@22c
Do, cases included	20@29c	Extras—Fillers	[illegible]
		Cartons	[illegible]

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 7.—EGGS—28½@29c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—EGGS—Firmer; receipts, 6,845. Fresh gathered, extra fine, 39@40c; extra firsts, 37@38c; firsts, 34@36c; seconds, 28@33c; nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 50@52c; nearby hennery browns, 38@45c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—EGGS—Firsts, 29c; seconds, 20c.

BUTTER.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Market steady; not as strong as it was last week, at unchanged prices. Receipts 7,820 tubs. Quotations:

Extras	33½c	Extra to grocers—Tubs	[illegible]
Extra firsts	32@33c	Prints	[illegible]
Firsts	26@30c	Packing stock	19@20c
Seconds	24@25c		

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—BUTTER—Steady; receipts, 8,089. Creamery extras, 92 score, 35@36c; creamery, higher scoring, 36½@37c; firsts, 28½@34½c; seconds, 25½@28c.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 7.—BUTTER—Firm; western creamery extra, 35c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—BUTTER—Creamery, 33c firsts, 31c; seconds, 29c; packing, 19c.

CHEESE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Trade active and market firm at recently advanced prices. Quotations:

Young Americas	17c	Daisies, double	16¾c
Twins	16¼c	Limburger	15@15½c
Longhorns	17c	Swiss	16@25c
Daisies	17c	Brick	17¼c

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—CHEESE—Receipts, 2,060; state, whole milk, flats, held, specials, 17¼c; do average fancy, 16¾@17c; do current make specials, 16¾c; do average fancy, 16@16½c.

PLYMOUTH, Wis., Dec. 7.—CHEESE—Prices ruled as follows at the Plymouth central board: Horns, daisies, 17c; American squares, 16¾c; twins, 16¼c.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 7.—CHEESE—Higher; New York full cream, 16½@17½c.

POULTRY.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Higher prices were made by all offerings of live poultry, excepting roosters. Firmness also pervaded the market for dressed stock. Quotations:

Live—		Dressed—	
Fowls	12½c	Chickens	13@14c
Springs	13½c	Roosters	10c
Roosters	9½c	Ducks	14@15c
Turkeys	15@16c	Turkeys	[illegible]
Ducks	13c	Geese	11@12c
Geese	12@13c		

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—POULTRY—Live prices unsettled. Dressed quiet; western fresh chickens, 14@27c; fowls, 12@17c; turkeys, 14@22c.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 7.—POULTRY—Unchanged, except chickens, 11c; turkeys, 15½.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—POULTRY—Hens, 10½@11c; turkeys, 15c; springers, 12c.

VEGETABLES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Potatoes met with a less urgent demand and prices averaged 2@3c a bu lower. Receipts, 50 cars. Green vegetables were steady. Quotations:

Beets, 100 bchs.	$1.00	Cucumbers, doz.	[illegible]
Carrots, 100 bchs.	$1.25	Cabbage, per 100	$2.00@2.50
Celery, Mich.	75c@$1.75	Potatoes, bu.	60c@72c
Pea beans	$3.70@4.00	String beans, hampers	$1.00@1.50
Red kidney	$4.05@4.75	Sweet potatoes, Ill., brls.	$1.50@2.00
Brown Swedish	$4.25	Tomatoes, California	$1.25@1.50
Cauliflower, cases	$1.00@1.50		
Head lettuce, cases	50c@$1.00		

FRUITS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Trade quiet and market steady. Quotations:

Lemons, cases	$3.75@4.25	Do boxes	$1.50@2.25
Oranges, cases	$5.00@5.75	Grapefruit, cases	$3.25@4.25
Pears, bu.	50@75c	Cranberries, brls	$7.95@9.00
Apples, brls.	$2.00@4.00		

VEALS.

50@60 lbs.	10½@11c	90@100 lbs.	12½@14c
60@90 lbs.	11½@12½c	125@160 lbs.	7@8c

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	17	15	9
Loins	24	13	11
Rounds	12½	11½	9
Chucks	11	9½	8
Plates	8	7½	6½

BIG PUBLIC UTILITY SOLD.

Indiana Power, Gas, Water, and Electric Light Concern Buyers Secret.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 7.—The Indiana Lighting company, which supplies power, gas, electric light, and water to many central and northern Indiana cities, has sold its entire holdings, it was announced today. The company was incorporated at $4,500,000. The announcement said the deal was effected in New York, but did not give the buyers. The Insull interests and the United Gas and Improvement company of Philadelphia have been mentioned as probable buyers. The company supplies gas to homes and business concerns of Lafayette, Logansport, Fort Wayne, Bluffton, Peru, and Wabash.

Seek Missing Wives.

Avon, Ill., Dec. 7.—Two Avon husbands asked Chicago police today to look for their wives and two men who, the husbands say, accompanied the women on a trip to Chicago. Luther Bull said his wife had gone with his brother, Lawrence Bull, leaving two small children at home. John Wilson said his wife, Violet, had fled with Roy Bull, another brother of Luther.

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NEW YORK B[...] ON FULL S[...] BANKERS A[...]

R. J. Dunham of A[...]pany Finds the Eas[...] with Activity in A[...]

R. J. Dunham, vice pres[...] & Co., returned yester[...] York, where he found a [...] traordinary activity, conc[...] said:

"I have never before [...] crowded with financial [...] ness to the extent tha[...] Leading banking interest[...] so taken up with pressin[...] a large extent they do no[...] ture except in a general [...]

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	Dec. 1, 1915.
Gold coin	$ 603,342
Gold certificates	1,25[illegible]
Standard silver dollars	68,170
Silver c'tificates	489,093
Subsidy silver	167,943
Treasury notes of 1890	2,183
U. S. notes	340,804
Fed. res. notes	177,477
Nat. bank notes	753,385
Totals	$3,859,060

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NEW YORK PUTS ON FULL SPEED; BANKERS ACTIVE

R. J. Dunham of Armour Company Finds the East Teeming with Activity in All Lines.

R. J. Dunham, vice president of Armour & Co., returned yesterday from New York, where he found a situation of extraordinary activity, concerning which he said:

"I have never before seen New York crowded with financial and other business to the extent that now obtains. Leading banking interests have their time so taken up with pressing affairs that to a large extent they do not discuss the future except in a general way.

"As to money, it is the general belief that the present period of ease will continue not only throughout the war but after its close. This has resulted in the taking up of financial plans which involve large amounts of credit and cash and which are being entered into at a pace which it seems to me must result in setbacks.

"Of the securities market, it is the view of financial interests that the war stocks have been overdone, but that railroad issues after a while will enjoy larger prominence and much higher prices.

Sees Rise in Rail Issues.

"There is some reason to believe that a broad movement in railroad shares may not be specially favored at this time, because it is expected that sooner or later foreign loans will be sought in this country and also that the selling of American securities by foreign holders to aid in the balance of trade will be urged abroad. It is not desired to create a special market for the absorption of such sales.

"But after all, it would seem to be almost impossible in view of general business conditions to hold back improvement in railroad stocks whether foreign loans shortly are offered or not, and there is no doubt among bankers that foreign governments again will come into this market for large borrowings. The $50,000,000 loaned to London banks is a small matter compared with what is expected of the future.

"But in this connection I found a disposition to take into consideration the needs of our own government. The banks are beginning to expect the United States will find it necessary to raise funds by means of bond issues, and the banks are disposed to keep this in view in their large loan considerations.

Big Bond Market Expected.

"A big bond market within the next six months is one of the developments regarded as a certainty.

"Possibly a little individual illustration will convey an idea of the present engagements of bankers. I found that whereas to see some of my old friends a year ago it was only necessary to walk behind the 'rail' and greet them with a slap on the back, I was now met by a secretary who in due course transmitted my name, returning with the announcement that at a fixed time on the following day I would be received with pleasure.

"At the hotels there are crowds. At one would-be guests to the number of 150 daily are being turned away. At the same place incoming baggage was stacked up in a sort of barricade an eighth of a block long. The crowded lobby resembled a department store more than a hotel, and guests were obliged to wait ten and fifteen minutes to secure the attention of the clerk.

"Making money in the markets is being done on an extraordinary scale. One may hear with considerable frequency of individual instances of $500,000 and sometimes $1,000,000 made in six months. One young man who used to be an office boy but who is now a bank officer, is credited with profits of $1,000,000 inside three months."

U. S. Money in Circulation.

Money in circulation in the United States on Dec. 1, according to the bulletin issued by the treasury department amounted to $3,859,060,981. The circulation per capita $38.04, against $36.40 in November 1914. The figures compare as follows (000's omitted):

	Dec. 1, 1915.	Nov. 1, 1915.	Dec. 1, 1914.
Gold coin	$603,342	$597,108	$637,553
Gold certificates	1,252,869	1,226,472	928,505
Standard silver dollars	66,170	65,723	69,731
Silver c'tificates	489,093	486,851	464,647
Subsidy silver	167,943	164,248	163,085
Treasury notes of 1890	2,183	2,198	2,358
U. S. notes	340,804	340,639	318,977
Fed. res. notes	177,477	160,088	8,310
Nat. bank notes	753,385	756,198	1,042,048
Totals	$3,859,060	$3,799,531	$3,630,218

To Advance Foreign Trade.

William H. Lough, financial and commercial expert for the department of commerce, who has just completed a study of the situation with special reference to the South American opportunities, has been conferring with Chicago bankers suggesting changes in the federal reserve act to permit the incorporation of banks exclusively for foreign trade, the stock to be owned by domestic banks and members of the federal reserve system. He said among other things:

"The business situation in South America is in some ways comparable to our own, especially in the stronger countries, where there is some diversification of industry. Argentina and Uruguay have been selling their cattle and crops, both of which have been heavy this year, to Europe at the highest prices. As a result there is considerable money. They cannot buy from Europe and must turn to the United States. For instance, Uruguay, a country of 8,000,000 people, has a favorable trade balance of $400,000,000. The United States only had a trade balance of $1,000,000,000. Argentina also is experiencing an upturn. The currency has remained stable through all the trouble.

Brazil Not So Favorable.

"The situation in Brazil is not so favorable. The big crop of coffee was shut off from the German market, causing widespread losses. However, the government has stepped in and adopted a valorization scheme, which will help the general situation. Chile, depending on nitrate exports, sold practically everything in Germany, England, and the United States, but is gradually recovering.

"Imports from the United States already are beginning to pick up, and I expect a heavy increase in machinery, agricultural implements, shoes, clothing, textiles, watches, and jewelry. It is the big opportunity for our manufacturers. They have the chance to get the South Americans trading with us and accounts opened up. The banks must come in then and help maintain the relations.

Banks Must Co-operate.

"Under the present banking law the practical effect—though by no means the purpose—is to confer a monopoly of foreign banking on New York City. No one Chicago bank, for instance, has enough local export business to pay it to establish agencies in South America. Altogether there would be many conveniences if the Chicago banks and St. Louis and Cincinnati and any other banks that so wished could join in one institution. New York now serves as a clearing house for four-fifths of the export business, but there is enough in the west for western banks to have their own agencies."

The incorporation of banks exclusively for foreign trade purposes has been recommended by the federal reserve board and the federal reserve board advisory council for consideration during the present session of congress.

NEWS OF THE FINANCIAL WORLD.

The tax of 25 cents a ton on pig iron annually, proposed in the president's message, recalls that the United States Steel corporation is turning out pig iron at the rate of 34,000,000 tons a year.

Manufacturers, according to views expressed in New York, did not appear to be worried over the suggestion that pig iron and finished steel be taxed 25 cents a ton. They figured that if there should be such a tax it would mean little compared with the present extraordinary profits of the steel companies. They questioned, however, whether such a tax would be lawful. The pig iron production of the United States Steel corporation amounted in 1914 to 10,052,457 tons, and in the preceding year to 14,080,780 tons.

The possibility of strained relations with Germany was utilized by the bears for a raid on the market late in the afternoon. The tactics were so successful that prices reacted rather sharply. The action of Steel common proved a disappointment. Buying of the stock in large blocks shortly after delivery of the president's message was spoken of by traders as "strong arm work," and the fact that it failed to lift the price above the previous high indicated there was a big supply for sale.

The Canadian domestic war loan has been increased from $50,000,000 to $100,000,000. Subscriptions more than doubled the amount sought, according to an announcement by W. T. White, minister of finance. Fifty millions of the loan will be used in recruiting, equipping, and maintaining Canadian soldiers. The other half will form an imperial treasury credit in Canada, to be devoted to the purchase in Canada of munitions and other supplies.

A letter to a prominent New York bank says, concerning Argentina: "As nearly as it is possible to estimate, a real balance of trade with foreign countries, that of Argentina for the first nine months of this year is approximately $350,000,000, and the whole year's net gain for Argentina in the sale of her raw or nearly raw products over the price of the manufactures she buys, ought to be not less than $450,000,000."

It is expected the General Motors company within the next three weeks will take action on the question of a common stock dividend and place the shares on a regular dividend basis. Nothing has been determined, but the market is figuring that the stock dividend will be 100 per cent. The shares yesterday were quoted around 531.

United States Steel corporation will publish its unfilled tonnage figures on Friday, and the estimates of the increase range from 400,000 to 600,000 tons. The current new business is estimated at 75,000 tons a day, which is 25,000 tons a day in excess of deliveries.

The management announces that of the 20,000 shares of Studebaker corporation recently offered for subscription to stockholders, all but forty-six shares were taken. The stock having the right to subscribe to these shares is owned in Europe.

The president's recommendation of a tax on gasoline and the horse power of automobiles had no perceptible effect on the oil stocks. It was thought that such a tax would not result in curtailing to any extent the consumption of gasoline.

Washington reports that imports for the week ended Dec. 4 amounted to $35,614,956, and exports $90,541,451. The favorable balance was $54,926,495. Exports of cotton were 114,101 bales.

It is estimated Montana Power company earnings will be increased about $2,000,000 a year after the Anaconda company's zinc refineries are running full.

In November the production of the Braden Copper company was 3,684,000 pounds, a decrease of 42,000 pounds from the output of October.

The annual meeting of Swift & Co. shareholders will be held on Jan. 6. Transfer books close Dec. 10 and reopen Jan. 7.

It is announced that the Hudson Bay company will do all the buying in Canada for the French war office.

The Standard Oil company of New York advanced the price of refined oil for export twenty-five points.

U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—The following is a statement of the condition of the United States treasury on Dec. 6:

Income today this year	$291,506,654
Income to date last year	282,588,931
Increase	8,914,723
Outgo over income this year	41,280,496
Outgo over income last year	57,992,260
Decrease	16,721,764
Balance general fund	116,871,284
Balance previous day	117,185,394
Decrease	314,110

BAROMETER OF THE MARKET

Average of Closing Prices of Twenty Leading New York Stocks.

Tuesday, Dec. 7	92.39
Monday, Dec. 6	92.81
Net loss for the day	.42
Last high point, Oct. 3	107.78
Fell June 1, 1913, to	85.24
Closed Dec. 31, 1913	90.23
Rallied Jan. 23, 1914, to	95.34
Fell July 30 [stock exchange closed] to	7.67
Exchange reopened Dec. 12 and average rose Dec. 14 to	82.42
Closed Dec. 31, 1914	78.64
Rallied Jan. 21, 1915, to	83.49
Rallied April 20 to	89.93
Fell May 10 to	81.93
Rallied Aug. 6 to	87.47

	Highest.	Lowest.
1913	94.56, Jan. 2	85.24, June 11
1912	107.78, Oct. 3	91.41, Feb. 5
1911	101.76, June 14	86.29, Sept. 17
1910	111.12, Jan. 4	86.32, July 26
1909	112.76, Aug. 14	93.24, Feb. 23

The twenty stocks are: Anaconda Copper, American Car and Foundry, American Smelting, American Telephone, Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Chesapeake and Ohio, Erie, Great Northern preferred, New York Central, Northern Pacific, Pennsylvania, Reading, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, St. Paul, American Sugar, Union Pacific, and United States Steel.

Local Curb Prices.

	Bid.	Asked.	An. div.
American Chicle	73	77	12
Do pfd	80	85	6
American Fork & Hoe	110	115	6
Do pfd	114	117	7
American Hominy	35	38	4
Do pfd	73	75	6
Am. Typefounders	40	42	4
Do pfd	91	94	7
Avery	69	71	..
Do pfd	97	99	..
Babcock & Wilcox	127	130	7
Barnhart Bros. & Spindler	90	93	7
Beatrice Creamery	175	185	10&7
Do pfd	96	..	6
Borden's Cond. Milk	114	115	8
Do pfd	105	107	6
Brunswick-Balke-Col. pfd	105	107	7
Burroughs Adding Machine	330	340	16
Butler Bros.	340	345	10
By-Products Coke Corp.	128	131	4
Chicago Ry. Equipment	83	85	7
Congress Hotel	100	110	5
Do pfd	60	65	5
Consumers Co.	23½	24	..
Do pfd	77	80	7
Creamery Package Co. com	80	81	6
Deere & Co. pfd	96	98	7
Drake Hotel pfd	86	91	6
Du Pont Powder com	385	395	8&7
Elgin National Watch	130	...	8
Emerson-Brantingham	21	23	..
Do pfd	56	59	..
First State Pawners	110	112	6
Fox River Butter	160	170	10
Goodyear T. & R.	334	338	12
Do pfd	111	113	7
Great Lakes Dredge & Dock	97	99	8&1
Hart, Schaffner & Marx com	48	52	..
Hotel La Salle	75	..	..
Do pfd	112	118	8
Hotel Sherman	40	50	..
Do pfd	97	100	7
Inland Steel Company	350	360	8
Kellogg Switchboard & Supply	390	395	12
Linde Air Products com	200	206	8
Moline Plow pfd	94	97	7
Montgomery Ward pfd	113½	114¼	7
National Cash Register	123	127	7
National Grocer	90½	92¼	6
Do pfd	93	94	6
Neuralgyline Co.	180	185	12
Northwestern Yeast Co.	325	335	12-12
Omaha Yards	96	98	6
Otis Elevator	71	75	5
Do pfd	92	95	6
Oxweld Acetylene	117	...	5
Reo Motor Car	54	55¼	10
Reo Motor Truck	22¼	23¼	10
Royal Baking Powder	140	150	8
Do pfd	102	104	6
Stewart-Warner Speedometer	88½	89	6
Do pfd	108	109	7
Sullivan Machinery Co.	100	102	4
Sulzberger & Sons Co. pfd.	87	88	7
Union Carbide	171	173	8
U. S. Gypsum	39	41	..
Do pfd	102	104	7
Western Electric Co.	295	..	8&2

Dividends Declared.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable Dec. 29 to holders of record Dec. 20.

The usual semi-annual dividend of 4½ per cent on the stock of the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad company will be paid Jan. 1. Books close Dec. 15 and reopen Jan. 1.

The usual semi-annual dividends of 5 per cent on the common and preferred stock of the New York and Harlem railroad will be paid Jan. 3 to holders of record Dec. 15.

The usual quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent on the stock of the New York, Lackawanna and Western railway will be paid Jan. 3 to holders of record Dec. 11.

The Continental Can company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on preferred and 1¼ per cent on common stocks, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 20.

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable Feb. 1, to holders of record Dec. 31.

The regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent has been declared by the Brunswick-Balke-Collender company.

The Kelly-Springfield Tire company declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1½ per cent on the first preferred and 1¾ per cent on the second preferred stocks, payable Jan. 3 to stock of record Dec. 15.

The Hercules Powder company declared the regular dividend of 2 per cent on the common stock and an extra dividend of 4 per cent, the same as declared on Sept. 8.

Money and Exchange.

Money rates in Chicago steady at 3½@4 per cent on collateral, 3¾@4 per cent on commercial paper, and 4@4½ per cent over the counter. New York exchange sold at 20c and 15c discount. Chicago bank clearings were $65,705,484.

Railroad Earnings.

SOUTHERN.

Fourth week of November gross increased $342,045; for November gross increased $843,011.

MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS.

Fourth week of November gross increased $68,275; for November gross increased $954; from July 1 gross decreased $493,557.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC.

Fourth week of November gross increased $60,843; for November gross increased $94,260; from July 1 gross increased $188,295.

CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.

Fourth week of November gross increased $445,000.

CHICAGO, GREAT WESTERN.

Fourth week of November gross increased $20,775; for November gross increased $48,742, from July 1 gross increased $29,627.

WESTERN MARYLAND.

October gross increased $210,910; net after taxes increased $147,822; four months gross, increased $680,757; net after taxes, increased $467,753.

WABASH.

October gross increased $406,239; net after taxes, increased $315,310; four months gross, increased $427,658; net after taxes, increased $304,785.

ST. LOUIS, ROCKY MOUNTAIN AND PACIFIC.

For October:

		Increase
Gross earnings	$241,834	$2,274
Net earnings	69,609	*15,666
Net revenues	47,913	*5,816
Net operating incomes	37,997	*6,854

*Decrease.

Chicago Securities.

On the Chicago stock exchange prices, while somewhat irregular, were generally lower. Swift & Co. shares were up one point and Montgomery Ward & Co. preferred was fractionally higher. Sears-Roebuck common lost one point and Diamond Match was one point lower.

In the bond department there was considerable breadth at steady prices. There has been some peddling out of small lots of Chicago Telephone 5s.

Sales on the Exchange.

Sales and the range of prices on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday were:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close Dec. 7.	Close Dec. 6.
Am. Radiator	10	375	375	375	375
Am. Shipbldg.	30	37¼	37¼	37¼	37
Chgo. Pn. Tool	60	79	79	79	79
Ch. Rys. ser. 2	520	19¼	19¼	19¼	19
Chgo. Title & T.	10	235	235	235	235
Com. Edison	210	145	144½	144½	144½
Dia. Match	86	108	107	107	108½
Ill. Brick	150	83	82½	83	82½
K. C. Ry.-Lt.	10	25	25	25	24½
Do ctfs	125	26	26	26	25½
Lindsay Light	150	6⅞	6¾	6⅞	6¾
M. Ward pfd.	123	114	113½	114	113
Nat. Carbon	43	160	160	160	160
Pub. Service	20	108	108	108	108½
Do pfd	40	101¼	101¼	101¼	101¼
Peoples Gas	5	118	118	118	117½
Sears-Roe.	1,215	182	180	180	180
Stew.-War.	2,000	91	88¾	89	89¾
Swift & Co.	407	128	126½	128	126½
Un. Carbide	123	172	171½	172	171⅜

BONDS.

$10,000	Armour & Co. 5s	93
1,000	Chicago Rys. 5s B	74
6,000	Commonwealth Edison 5s	102⅝
1,000	Chicago Rys. 1st 5s	97¼
1,000	Chicago Gas Light 5s	102½
2,500	Chicago Rys. purchase money 4s	66
2,000	Northwest Gas 5s	100
4,000	Ogden Gas 5s	95½
1,000	Public Service 5s	95
1,500	Diamond Match deb. 6s	106
10,000	Swift & Co. 5s	98¼
2,000	Swift & Co. 5s	98¼
13,000	Swift & Co. 5s	98¼

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Adams Ex	100	129	129	129	128
Alaska Gold	9,000	24⅝	23¾	23⅝	24¼
Alas. Juneau	1,600	11¼	10⅝	10⅝	11⅛
Al. Chal. Mfg.	3,100	33⅞	32⅛	32⅜	33⅞
Do pfd	2,700	83	81⅞	82	82½
Am. Ag. Chem.	700	72⅝	72⅛	72½	72⅝
Am. Bt. Sug.	8,300	72⅝	71⅛	71⅛	72⅝
Do pfd	100	94	94	94	....
Am. Bk. S. ctf	200	103	103	103	....
Am. Can	7,900	62¾	61	61⅛	61⅞
Do pfd	500	112⅝	112	112½	112½
Am. Car & Fd.	1,600	82⅞	82	82	82½
Am. Coal Prod	900	153¾	148	148	152½
Am. Cot. Oil	200	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛	58
Do pfd	100	99½	99½	99½	....
Am. Exp	100	128⅝	128⅝	128⅝	128
Am. H. & L.	1,700	11⅝	11	11	11¼
Do pfd	100	52½	52½	52½	52⅞
Am. Ice Sec.	500	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26¼
Am. Lin. Oil	100	23½	23½	23½	24
Do pfd	200	41¼	41¼	41¼	42
Am. Loco	4,800	71⅛	70⅛	70⅛	71⅛
Do pfd	300	102½	102½	102½	....
Am. Malt	6,400	11⅛	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Do pfd	2,600	37½	35½	37	....
Am. Smelting	12,700	100¼	99	99	99⅞
Do pfd A	600	90	90	90	90
Am. St. Fdys.	3,700	64½	63½	64	63⅜
Am. Sugar	6,400	119	117¼	117⅝	117¼
Do pfd	100	118	118	118	....
Am. Tel. & T.	1,600	129⅛	128⅝	128⅝	128⅝
Am. Tob.	600	220¾	219¾	219½	219½
Do pfd	100	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	....
Amer. Woolen	100	50½	50½	50½	50
Do ctfs	300	50	50	50	49⅝
Anaconda	15,600	89	87⅞	87⅞	88⅝
Assd. Oil	100	60	60	60	....
Assets Real'n.	600	10	9	10	....
Atchison	2,400	107⅛	107	107	107⅝
Do pfd	400	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛	101⅝
At. C. Line	100	115⅛	115⅛	115⅛	....
Baldwin Loco.	29,500	119⅝	116⅛	116⅛	116½
Do pfd	300	112	112	112	....
Bal. & Ohio	2,700	94⅞	94⅛	94⅛	94⅞
Do pfd	100	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
Batopilas	4,000	2⅝	2¼	2⅜	2¼
Beth. Steel	400	470	468¾	468¼	....
Bkln. R. Tran.	500	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
Butterick	100	32	32	32	....
Brunswick	3,700	14⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13
Butte & Sup.	1,900	73	72⅛	72⅛	73⅛
Brown Shoe	200	50	49⅛	50	46
Do pfd	200	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅛
Cal. Petrol	4,400	28⅛	27⅛	27⅛	28⅛
Do pfd	1,000	58⅛	57	57	58⅝
Can. Pac	3,300	184⅝	183⅛	183⅛	183⅝
Cent. Leath.	7,500	60⅞	60⅛	60⅛	60⅛
Do pfd	200	110⅛	110	110	110⅛
Ches. & Ohio	4,700	64⅛	63⅛	63⅛	64⅛
Chi. Gt. West.	500	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Do pfd	1,100	39⅜	39	39⅜	39
C., M. & St. P.	2,500	96⅛	94	94	95⅞
Chi. & N. W.	100	132½	132½	132½	132
Chile Copper	2,500	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Chino	3,800	55⅛	54⅛	54⅛	55½
C., R. I. & P.	1,700	20	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜
Cub.-Am. Sug.	700	169⅛	168	169	168
C., C., C. & St. L.	100	49	49	49	....
Clu.-Pbdy	100	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞
Colo. Fuel	5,200	53⅞	51⅞	51⅞	52
Comp. Tab. R.	100	44	44	44	43
Cons. Gas	900	144⅛	143⅛	143⅛	144
Cont. Can	400	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛	90
Corn Prod	700	19⅛	18⅛	18⅛	19⅛
Do pfd	800	89⅝	89	89	89⅝
Crucible Steel	8,200	76	74	74	74
Do pfd	100	111¼	111¼	111¼	111¼
Deere pfd	200	96¼	96⅛	96¼	....
Den. & R. G.	300	15¼	15	15¼	....
Do pfd	1,500	29⅛	28	29⅛	27⅛
Dome Mng	5,200	30⅛	29	29⅛	29⅛
Del. & Hudson	100	151	151	151	....
Dist. Sec	17,900	48⅛	47⅛	47⅛	47
Erie	18,000	44⅛	44	44	44⅛
Do 1st pfd	2,900	58⅞	58⅛	58⅛	58⅞
Do 2d pfd	500	52	51⅞	52	52
Gen. Ch. pfd	100	115	115	115	....
Gen. Elec	600	177⅛	176⅛	176⅛	176⅞
Gen. Motors	200	530	521	521	530
Do pfd	2,600	123⅛	122	123	121⅛
Goodrich	13,200	76	73⅛	73⅛	75⅛
Gt. Nor. Ore	15,200	50⅛	49⅛	49⅛	49⅞
Gt. Nor. pfd	1,900	127⅛	126⅛	127	126⅞
Gug. Expl	4,000	78⅛	78	78	78
Ill. Cent	100	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
Insp. Cop	5,600	46	44⅜	45	45⅞
In. Ag. Corp	300	25	25	25	25
Do pfd	200	61	60	60	61⅛
In. Har. N. J.	4,900	112¾	110⅜	110⅜	111
In. Har. Corp	600	80	79⅞	80	75
In. M. Mar. ctf	10,000	66¼	63⅜	64½	66
Int.-Met	1,500	22½	22	22	22¼
Do pfd	1,500	80⅛	79⅜	79⅜	79⅜
Int. Met	300	22¼	22⅛	22⅛	22⅜
Int. Paper	900	11⅜	11⅛	11¼	11¼
Do pfd	1,200	47	45½	47	....
Int. Nic. ctfs.	12,100	198	193½	193⅞	194½
K. C., F. S. & M. pfd	100	68½	68½	68½	....
K. C. So	1,600	32⅝	32⅛	32¼	32⅛
Do pfd	100	64	64	64	64
King's Co. E. L. H. & P.	200	128¼	127⅞	128¼	127½
Lack. Steel	6,900	84⅛	82	82⅝	83¼
Lehigh Valley	2,400	83	82⅝	82⅝	83
Maxwell Mot.	9,700	78⅝	76¼	76¼	76⅞
Do 1st pfd	1,900	101⅞	100⅜	101	101
Do 2d pfd	4,100	59⅞	57½	57½	58¼
May D. Stores	500	64⅞	64	64	64⅞
Mex. Petrol	16,200	95	93	93	94
Do pfd	800	95	94	94⅛	93¼
Miami Copper	1,200	34⅜	34¼	34⅛	34¼
M. & St. L. pfd	100	36	36	36	35
M., St. P. & S. M.	100	123⅞	123⅞	123⅞	123⅜
Do pfd	100	131	131	131	....
M., K. & T.	500	7¼	7⅛	7⅛	7½
Mo. Pacific	1,300	6	5⅜	5⅝	6
Do ctfs	200	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	....
Mont. Power	300	76⅛	75	75	76½
Nat. C. & Suit.	100	80	80	80	79⅞
Do pfd	200	110⅛	110	110⅛	....
Nat. Biscuit	100	126	126	126	126
Nat. Enamel	800	31	30	30	31
Nat. Lead	200	65½	65½	65⅛	66¼
Nat. Rys. of Mex. 2d pfd.	100	9	9	9	....
Nevada Cop	300	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
N. Y. A. Brake	1,200	140	137	137½	137
N. Y. Central	13,900	104⅛	103⅛	103⅞	104½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	3,400	77	75⅛	75⅛	76¼
N. Y., O. & W.	100	31	31	31	31¼
Norfolk & W.	7,100	121	120¼	120¼	121
North Amn	3,800	76⅛	75	75	75¼
N. Ohio T. & L.	100	68	68	68	....
Nor. Pacific	2,900	117⅛	116⅛	116⅛	117⅛
Ont. Silver	15,200	8⅝	6½	7	6⅝
Pacific Mail	2,000	10½	10	10	10⅝
Pac. T. & T.	300	44½	44	44½	....
Penna. Ry.	4,800	60	59½	59½	59½
Peoria & East.	200	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅞
Phila. Co	400	44⅞	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
Pitts. Coal	1,400	36⅛	35⅛	35⅛	36
Do pfd	200	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅝
P. Steel Car	1,000	66¼	65	65	65
Pub. Serv., N. J.	200	117	116½	117	116¼
Pullman	200	167½	167	167	167½
Quicksilver	300	4	3¾	3¾	....
Ry. Steel Spg.	300	46⅛	45⅛	45⅛	46¼
Ray Con	2,300	25⅞	25⅜	25⅛	25¾
Reading	6,600	83⅛	82	82	83⅛
Rep. Iron & S.	24,000	55⅛	53⅛	53⅛	53⅞
Do pfd	700	110	110	110	110
Rock Isl. pfd	200	⅞	⅞	⅞	1
Rumely ctfs	100	14¼	14¼	14¼	....
Seaboard A. L.	700	41	40⅝	40⅞	41¼
Sears-Roebuck	2,900	182½	179	179	180
S. P. R. Sugar	100	150	150	150	155
Sloss-Sheffield	12,100	66⅛	64⅜	65	64¼
Do pfd	400	99	98½	99	....
So. Pacific	7,400	102⅛	100⅞	100⅞	102¼
Southern Ry	2,900	24⅛	23⅞	24	24
Do pfd	700	62½	62¼	62½	62½
St. L. & S. F.	100	5	5	5	5
St. Louis S. W.	100	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝	23
Do pfd	100	45½	45½	45½	45
Stand. Milling	100	84	84	84	....
Studebaker	24,400	163⅝	155⅝	159½	156
Do pfd	100	111	111	111	....
Tenn. Copper	1,900	59	58	58	58½
Texas Oil	3,000	216⅛	212⅛	212⅝	215
Texas & Pac	200	16	15⅝	16	15½
Third Avenue	400	61⅞	61½	61½	61⅞
United Fruit	3,200	146⅛	144⅛	145	144½
Union Bag & P.	700	7⅞	7½	7⅞	....
Union Pacific	12,800	139⅞	138⅝	138½	139⅞
Do pfd	400	83	82⅝	83	83
U. Cigars Mfg.	200	64	63⅞	63⅞	64¼
U. Cigar Stores	500	9⅝	9½	9½	....
Unit. Ry. Inv.	100	23	23	23	22½
Do pfd	500	41⅛	40	40⅜	....
U. S. Alcohol	6,000	125⅛	122⅛	122⅛	121
Do pfd	200	103½	103	103	....
U. S. Express	100	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞
U. S. C. I. Pipe	200	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜	25½
U. S. Realty	100	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	41⅜
U. S. Rubber	1,400	56⅛	55⅛	55⅞	55⅝
Do 1st pfd	500	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅝
U. S. Steel	144,400	88⅛	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞
Do pfd	600	116⅛	116	116	116
Utah Copper	9,500	81	79⅞	80	80⅝
Va. Chemical	700	47	47	47	47
Do pfd	100	113½	113½	113½	113½
Va. Coal & C.	400	65	63⅛	63⅛	63¼
Wabash W. I.	2,300	16⅛	16¼	16¼	16⅜
Wabash pfd. A	2,800	46⅞	46⅛	46⅛	46⅞
Do pfd	2,800	29⅞	29¼	29¼	30
Wells Fargo	200	131½	130	130	132
Western Md.	400	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32⅝
Western Union	1,500	88⅛	88	88⅛	88
Westing. Elec.	12,900	70⅛	69	69	69½
W. Overland	1,000	246	240½	244⅞	239½
Do pfd	300	113⅞	113⅜	113⅞	113⅝
W. & L. E. 2d pfd.	800	6½	6	6½	....
Wis. Central	200	40	40	40	40
Woolworth	2,400	117⅞	115	115	118
Do pfd	500	124	124	124	....

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 2s, registered	99¼	.....
United States 2s, coupon	99	.....
United States 3s, registered	101¼	.....
United States 3s, coupon	101¼	.....
United States 4s, registered	109½	110¼
United States 4s, coupon	110⅝	.....
United States Pan. 2s, 1938	98	.....

CLOSING BID and ASKED PRICES

[Stocks not traded in yesterday.]

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Ag. Ch. pfd	99½	100
Am. Br. Sh. ctfs	190	200
Am. C. & F. pfd	117½	119½
Am. Coal Pr. pfd	115	120
Am. Snuff	150	155
Do pfd	108	110¼
Am. T. & C.	62¾	67
Am. Wool. pfd	97½	98
Am. W. Pa. pfd	11	12
Beth. Steel pfd	155	160
Br. Un. Gas	134¼	136
B., R. & P.	90	96
Cen. of N. J.	300	320
Chi. & A.	8	14⅞
Do pfd	20	22½
C. M. & St. P. pfd	132½	133⅜
C., St. P., M. & O.	118	125
Do pfd	133	140
C. & N. W. pfd	170	180
C., C., C. & St. L. pfd	75	77
Clu.-P. pfd	108	109
Colo. & So.	35½	36½
Do 1st pfd	57½	59
Do 2d pfd	47	52
Colo. F. pfd	123	175
Con. Can pfd	107	109
Crex Carp.	40	50

	Bid.	Asked.
D., L. & W.	226	233
Det. United	68	72
D., S. S. & A.	6	7⅝
Do pfd	12	14½
Fed. M. & S.	28	33
Do pfd	48	50
G. W. H. Co.	165	185
Do pfd	112	.....
Genl. Ch.	315	325
Good. pfd	112	112½
Homestake	122	.....
Hock. Val.	....	112
Int. H. of N. J. pfd	....	118½
Int. H. Cor. pfd	100	110
Ia. Central	7¼	10
Do pfd	15	22
J. I. C. pfd.	88½	90
Jul. Kayser	83	86
Do pfd	107	110
K. & Des M.	3	4½
Kresge	230	260
Do pfd	110	111
Lac. Gas	103	105
L. E. & W.	13	14½
Do pfd	29	32
Lig. & My.	252	256
Do pfd	119	119½
Loose-W.	26¼	27
Do 1st pfd	96	98
L. & Nash.	128½	130
Long Isl.	23	24½
Mackay Co.	80	81½
Do pfd	65½	66
Man. Elev.	129	131
May. Dept. St. pfd	106	108

	Bid.	Asked.
M. & St. L.	15½	16
M., K. & T. pfd	16¾	17½
Mon. P. pfd.	110	113
Nash. & Ch.	130	140
Nat. B. pfd.	126¼	129
N. Rs. of M. 1st pfd	20	25½
Nat. L. pfd.	110½	114
N. Y. Dock	12	17
N. Y., C. & St. L.	42½	43½
Do 1st pfd	80	85
Do 2d pfd	60	63
Norf. Sou.	20	27
N. & W. pfd	86	88
Pabst Brg. pfd	....	86
Pac. T. & T. pfd	92	95
P. Lorillard	184	186½
Do pfd	115½	.....
Peo. Gas	118	119
Petti.-Mul.	60	70
Do pfd	95	100
Pitts. St. pfd	101	102½
P., C., C. & St. L.	80	81
Do pfd	91	96
Pr. St. Car pfd	105	106
Quick. pfd.	4	5
Ry. Steel Sp. pfd	98	100½
Read. pfd.	41½	42½
Do 2d pfd.	42	43½
Rock Island	¾	1

	Bid.	Asked.
Rumely	3¼	4½
Do pfd	6½	11½
Sea. A. L.	18¾	19
Sears-Roe. pfd	126	126⅝
St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd	9	10⅝
D 2d pfd.	7	7¼
Stand. Mill. pfd	81	83½
Tex. & Pac. Land Tr.	105	112
Tol., St. L. & W.	7¾	9
Do pfd	12	17
Twin City	96	98
Do pfd	130	135
Und. Type.	82	88
Do pfd	107	110
Un. B. & P. pfd	28	29½
Un. Cl. Mfg. pfd	105	109
Un. Dry G.	15	50
Do pfd	67½	72
U. S. C. I. P. pfd	50	52
U. S. Red. & Ref.	4	4½
Va. Ry. & P.	47	48½
West. Mary. pfd	46	49
West. Elec. 1st pfd	77	80
Wey. & Br.	233	260
Do pfd	112	120
W. & L. E.	5	6¼
Do 1st pfd	16	18

OILS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—OIL—Wholesale prices on carbon and other oils: Standard white, 10½c; perfection, 10½c; headlight, 175, 10¼c; elaine, 13½c; V. M. P. naphtha, 14c; linseed oil, 66c; boiled, 67c; turpentine, 64c; summer black oil, 7c; winter black oil, 7½c; gasoline, 14½c; gas machine gasoline, 24c. These prices apply to brl lots f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—COTTONSEED OIL—Prime crude, 7.47c sales; prime summer yellow, 8.50c; December, 8.50c; January, 8.53c; February, 8.55c; March, 8.61c; April, 8.65c; May, 8.72c; June, 8.75c; July, $8.88c; prime winter yellow and summer white, 8.50@9.50c.

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 7.—Credit balances, $2.10. Runs, 82,574 brls; average, 56,022; shipments, 47,861; average, 30,327.

DRY GOODS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Cotton goods prices were firm and advanced today. Yarns were firm. Men's wear was bought for fall at advanced prices. The scarcity of dyestuffs is becoming a very serious matter in all textile lines.

COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 7.—COTTON—Futures:

	High.	Low.	Closing bid.
January	12.55	12.43	12.46
March	12.86	12.75	12.75
May	13.07	12.97	12.97
July	13.16	13.09	13.09
October	12.70	12.68	12.65

Spot steady, 13 points up; sales, 1,025 bales; middling, 12.13c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—COTTON—Futures:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
December	12.50	12.57	12.50	12.52	12.44
January	12.65	12.68	12.59	12.60	12.52
March	12.95	12.95	12.87	12.90	12.82
May	13.12	13.18	13.08	13.11	13.02
July	13.20	13.26	13.17	13.19	13.09
October	12.77	12.79	12.74	12.74	12.69

Spot steady; middling uplands, 12.75c; sales, 1,200 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 7. — COTTON — Spot steady; good middling, 8.03d; middling, 7.66d; low middling, 7.18d; sales, 14,000 bales; for speculation and export, 1,000; receipts, 17,200. Futures unsettled; December, 7.53c; December and January, 7.52d; January and February, 7.51d; February and March, 7.49d; March-April, 7.47d; April-May, 7.43½d; May-June, 7.40d; June-July, 7.36½d; July-August, 7.33½d; August-September, 7.18d; September-October, 7.01d; October-November, 6.97d.

METALS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—COPPER—Quiet; electrolytic, $19.75@20.00. IRON—Firm; No. 4 northern, $18.25@18.75; No. 2, $18.00@18.50; 1 northern, $18.25@18.75; No. 2, $18.00@18.50; 18.50. ANTIMONY—38½@39½c per lb for Chinese and Japanese brands, 44@45c per lb for Cookson's and Hallett's. The metal exchange quotes lead offered $5.25; spelter, $15.00@15.25; tin, $37.00@37.50. At London: LEAD—£27 15s. SPELTER—£87. COPPER—Spot, £77 5s; futures, £77 15s; electrolytic, £98. TIN—Spot, £185 15s; futures, £165. ANTIMONY—£123.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 7.—LEAD—Strong at $5.20 bid and $5.25 asked. SPELTER—Weak at $16.00@16.50.

IN FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Money was in good supply and discount rates were quiet today. The stock market was dull as dealers are awaiting developments in the Balkans. Consols hardened a fraction and shipping and copper shares and Chilean bonds were good features, but the rest of the market was inactive. Kaffirs declined under realizing. American bonds were fairly active on reported buying by the government. American rails were steadily supported at improving prices despite the firmness of exchange, which closed at 4.71⅞@4.72 for cable transfer. Bar silver, 26 15-16d per ounce. Money 4@4¼ per cent. Discount rates, short bills and three months, 5¼ per cent.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Trading was very quiet on the bourse today. Rentes 64 francs 50 centimes. Exchange on London 27 francs 73½ centimes.

COFFEE AND SUGAR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The market for coffee futures continued very quiet today, but showed rather a steadier tone on a little covering or European buying in the absence of selling pressure from either local or Brazilian sources. The opening was unchanged to 5 points higher, with May selling at 6.75c and September at 6.90c during the day, while July fluctuated between 6.86c and 6.84c. The close was at a net advance of 3 to 6 points. Sales, 7,750. December, 6.66c; January, 6.67c; February, 6.69c; March, 6.71c; April, 6.73c; May, 6.76c; June, 6.81c; July, 6.86c; August, 6.88c; September, 6.90c; October, 6.94c. Spot, quiet; Rio 7s, 7⅝c; Santos 4s, 9¼c. Cost and freight offers were about unchanged, most of them being around 8.75c for Santos 4s, English credits. The official cables reported a decline of 75 reis in the Rio market, with Santos and the rate of Rio exchange on London unchanged. Brazilian port receipts, 69,000 bags; Jundiahy, 47,000 bags. Santos cleared 34,000 bags for New York. SUGAR—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 5.20c; molasses, 4.43c; refined, steady. Futures, December, 4.13c; January, 3.78c; March, 3.38c; May, 3.44c; July, 3.51c.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—SUGAR—The following prices are quoted by wholesale dealers per 100 lbs: Cut loaf, H. & E., $7.85; powdered, standard, $6.40; eastern granulated $6.18; beet granulated, $5.88; H. & E., granulated, $6.38; extra C., $6.03; canary, $5.75.

RESIN AND TURPENTINE.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 7.—TURPENTINE—Firm, 53¾c; sales, 68; receipts, 310; shipments, 317; stock, 14,760. RESIN—Firm; sales, 1,561; receipts, 3,004; shipments, 209; stock, 74,638. Quote: A, B, C, D, $5.60; E, $5.65; F, $5.60@5.65; G and H, $5.70; I, $5.70@5.75; K, $6.00@6.15; M, $6.25@6.45; N, $6.65; W G, $6.90; W W, $7.00@7.15.

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Emerson-Brantingham.

L. A. H., Freeport, Ill.—The fiscal year of the Emerson-Brantingham company closes on Oct. 31. The report for the last year has not been issued and the latest official information available is the report for the year 1913-14. That showed a 90 per cent fall in profits from operations and a deficit of $474,741 after paying three-fourths of the 7 per cent dividend on the $10,132,500 of preferred stock. No dividends have been paid since then, this accumulation now amounting to 8¾ per cent. The present company was organized in 1912, the capital stock being increased from $3,000,000 to $22,303,000 and several other companies being absorbed. The report for the first fifteen months showed a surplus after preferred dividends equal to about 4½ per cent on the $10,132,500 of common stock, or at the rate of 3½ per cent a year. There are no bonds, but the balance sheet of Oct. 31, 1914, showed $5,133,825 notes payable. Of course dividends will not be resumed till a substantial surplus has been built up and the fact that the preferred stock is now quoted at about 50 probably indicates that not a great surplus has been earned in the year just closed.

Delaware, Lackawanna and Western

S. D., Cincinnati, O.—The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company has paid dividends regularly since 1879. From 1854 to 1879 it missed only nine years. From 1886 to 1903 the rate was 7 per cent. In 1904 17 per cent was paid and since then 20 per cent a year. In 1909 an extra cash dividend of 50 per cent and a stock dividend of 15 per cent were paid. The company now has outstanding $42,277,000 of stock. It assumed $320,000 of bonds of a subsidiary in 1909 and it has guaranteed the interest on bonds and dividends on stocks of leased lines amounting to nearly $7,000,000 a year. Gross earnings in 1914 were $39,249,790, being $1,500,000 less than in 1913. Net earnings from operation were $11,771,076. Revenue from coal lands and other sources amounted to about $6,000,000 making the total net income $18,951,114. After paying fixed charges nearly $12,000,000, or more than 28 per cent, was left applicable to dividends. Earnings in 1913 amounted to 32 per cent and in 1912 to 33. Other roads you ask about have been discussed recently.

Brief Answers.

S. B. C., Goshen, Ind.—The Casualty Company of America has been in business twelve years, has $750,000, capital stock and on Jan. 1 last had $256,311 of surplus. Its total assets were $3,400,490. The company's business has increased rapidly and its liability has grown faster than premium receipts. This underwriting loss has been more than counterbalanced by the income from investments.

E. B. F., Vinton, Ia.—The North American Iron Mining company owns a mine at Tower, Minn. It has been idle recently. The company has outstanding $695,686 of stock, on which no dividends have been paid.

Anglo-French Bonds Yielding Nearly 5½%

The Strength of a Thousand Years

England's large borrowings at this time are apt to obscure her record of a thousand years of sturdy growth in the extent and variety of her resources, which won for her the commercial and financial leadership of the world.

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ARMOUR REPORT ON WHEAT CROP BREAKS MARKET

Figures Indicate 948,000,000 Bushels Millable Grain; Profit Taking Heavy.

Prices for wheat touched new high points yesterday for the crop year, but the big bulge was succeeded by a sharp reaction. The Armour concern issued a bearish report, its final estimate being 948,000,000 bu, 600,000,000 bu winter and 348,000,000 bu spring, all millable wheat. This report was in such striking contrast to recent figures that late buyers tried to unload. Owing to the recent rapid advance, moreover, more traders were disposed to take profits on a big scale, and temporarily the buying demand was not sufficient to absorb the offerings. Resting prices showed net declines of 2⅛@2¼@2½c.

Cables came 1@2½d higher, but the opening here showed a hesitating tone. Later there was some outside buying on reports of heavy foreign accumulations of wheat and grain. This demand bailed the pit dry, and both May and December sold up to $1.21⅝. Then came the reaction.

Chicago Buys Wheat Elsewhere.

Chicago prices have advanced more rapidly than some of the outside markets and there were reports that considerable wheat had been bought to come to Chicago from Kansas City and Minneapolis, purchases of 450,000 bu cash wheat being reported at the latter point. A car of Kansas wheat was received here and graded No. 2 hard, the price realized being 2c more than could have been paid at Kansas City. Country offerings were moderate.

Foreign news was generally favorable to holders. The cash demand abroad is active and supplies are said to be inadequate. There is every prospect for a much smaller acreage of grain in Europe next year, and the probability of there being another bumper spring wheat crop in this country and Canada is remote.

Commission Houses Sellers.

Selling of wheat was led by the commission houses. The big ware houses were on both sides of the market. Argentine freights were advaned still further to 115 shillings per ton, the highest rate by far ever known, and Argentine owners were reported firm in their views.

Receipts here were small at 48 cars, but the primary receipts were 2,645,000 bu, against 1,621,000 bu a year ago. Northwest receipts were 871 cars against 706 cars a year ago, while Winnipeg had 1,471 cars, against 432 cars a year ago. Minneapolis wheat stocks increased 960,000 bu for three days. Local cash sales were reported at 10,000 bu. The seaboard reported a moderate amount of business. Hard wheat at the gulf was 2c under May, or the lowest relative price on the crop with a slow demand. Weather conditions continue favorable as a rule.

May Corn Closes Higher.

Corn showed a relatively stronger tone than wheat. Pries were weak early, but had a good rally. The May was stronger than the December. Closing prices were ¼@⅜c lower to ⅜@½c higher. Shorts were good buyers and some of the buying of the May was supposed to be for foreign account. There was heavy realizing, but the country continues bullish. The eastern shipping demand was not urgent, but there is no evidene of any general selling movement.

Receipts were 962,000 bu in the west, compared to 2,158,000 bu a year ago, and local arrivals were 149 cars. Plate corn at Liverpool was 1½d up, with holders reserved. Cash sales were 80,000 bu. Unsettled weather was predicted, but generally conditions over the belt were favorable. Cash houses were credited with selling.

Moderate Range in Oats.

The oats range was moderate, but there was a fairly steady tone. Prices were ⅛@¼c to ¼c lower at the close. Cash prices were ½c higher, but closed with the advance lost. Shipping sales were 85,000 bu. Receipts were moderate at 149 cars. Primary receipts were 897,000 bu, compared to 1,062,000 bu a year ago. Clearances were 5,000 bu.

There was a big trade in provisions. Commission houses were heavy buyers, and there was further buying credited to foreigners. Hog receipts were 46,000, with 53,000 for today estimated. Western receipts were 161,700, compared to 95,400 a year ago. Pork prices advanced from 55c to 62½c; lard, 35c to 37½c, and ribs, 30c to 32½c. Liverpool lard prices were 3d lower; Cumberland sides, 6d higher; hams, 3s higher, and backs, 1s up. Receipts of products were 24 cars and shipments were 150 cars.

Millers Support Rye Market.

Rye market ruled strong owing to a good milling demand. No. 2 sold at 98c; No. 3, 96@97c and No. 4, 92@95c. Sales of 10,000 bu rye were made for export. Receipts, 13 cars.

Barley was 1c higher, with malting selling at 68@75c; feed, 64@67c; and screenings 54@59c. Receipts were 40 cars.

Timothy seed was firm, March closing $8.95 bid and cash lots quoted $5.00@8.00 nominal. Clover seed was steady, with cash lots $10.00@19.00, nominal.

Duluth flax closed steady to 1¼c lower. Cash on track, $2.05@2.05½; December, $2.03; and May, $2.09. Receipts, 33 cars. Minneapolis was ¼c lower, with cash on track, $2.03@2.07. Receipts were 21 cars. Winnipeg closed ½@¾c lower. December, $1.83; and May, $1.89⅛. Receipts, 22 cars.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Cash unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.11@1.15; No. 3, $1.07½@1.11; No. 2 red, $1.14@1.16; No. 3, $1.12. Receipts, 505 cars. CORN—1@1½c higher; No. 2 white, 64½@64¾c; No. 3, 64@65c; No. 2 mixed, 65@66½c; No. 3, 64½@67c; No. 2 yellow, 67½c; No. 3, 66½@67½c. OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 43½c; No. 2 white, 41c. RYE—Nominally 88@89c. HAY—Unchanged. KAFFIR—Nominally 93@97c. WHEAT—Futures: December, $1.07½; May, $1.10. CORN—December, 65⅜@65½c; May, 68⅝c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Lower; receipts 512 cars, compared with 435 a year ago. Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.15⅜; No. 1 northern, $1.12⅜@1.18⅜; to arrive, $1.12⅜@1.12⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.08⅜@1.11⅜; No. 3 wheat, $1.02⅜@1.06⅜. Futures: December opened $1.12⅜; high, $1.14; low, $1.10⅜; closed $1.10⅝. May opened $1.16@1.16⅛; high, $1.17½; low, $1.13; closed $1.13⅜. FLOUR—Unchanged, early. Shipments, 101,650 brls. BARLEY—59@67c. RYE—91@93c. BRAN—$17.75@18.25. CORN—No. 3 yellow, 74@75c. OATS—No. 3 white, 39⅝@40⅛c. FLAX—$2.05@2.07.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Cash: Lower. Track: No. 2 red, $1.22@1.27; No. 3 hard, $1.13. CORN—Higher; track: No. 2, 68@68½c; No. 2 white, 68@68½c. OATS—Lower; track: No. 2, 43½@44c; No. 2 white, nominal. RYE—Lower, 93c. FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $5.30@5.50; extra fancy and straight, $4.75@5.10; hard winter clears, $3.50@4.00. WHEAT—Futures lower; December, $1.11⅜; May, $1.16¼. CORN—Higher; December, 67c; May, 70c. OATS—Steady; December, 42c; May, 43⅜@43⅝c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Cash: No. 1 northern, $1.18@1.19; No. 2 northern, $1.13@1.16; No. 2 hard winter, $1.12@1.14. CORN—No. 3 yellow, 75c; No. 3 white, 74c; No. 3, 73@74c. OATS—Standard, 44¼@44¾c; No. 3 white, 43@44⅝c; No. 4 white, 42¼@44c. RYE—No. 1, $1.00½. BARLEY—Malting, 68@78c; feed and rejected, 64@67c; Wisconsin, 66@78c. WHEAT—Futures: December, $1.16⅛; May, $1.17⅜. CORN—December, 68¼c; May, 72¼c. OATS—December, 43¼c; May, 45⅝c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—FLOUR—Firm; spring patents, $5.75@6.15; winter patents, $5.60@5.80; winter straights, $5.45@5.60; Kansas straights, $5.50@5.65. WHEAT—Spot weak; No. 1 durum, $1.24½ f. o. b. New York; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.28½; No. 1 northern Manitoba, $1.22 c. i. f. Buffalo. Futures easier; December, $1.23¾. CORN—Spot firm; No. 2 yellow, 82¼c prompt. OATS—Spot quiet; No. 3 white, 46½@47½c.

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 7.—LINSEED—Cash, $2.05@2.05½. Futures: December, $2.08; May, $2.09. WHEAT—Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.14⅜; No. 1 northern, $1.13⅜; No. 2 northern, $1.09⅜; Montana, No. 2 hard, $1.11⅜. Futures: December, $1.11⅜; May, $1.13⅜@1.13⅞. Durum: Cash, No. 1, $1.09⅜; No. 2, $1.05¼@1.06¼. Futures: December, $1.08¼; May, $1.11⅛. OATS—39⅝c. RYE—91c. BARLEY—59@65c.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Cash and Dec., $1.24. Futures: May, $1.28. CLOVER SEED—Prime cash, $12.55. Futures: February, $12.60; March, $12.40. ALSIKE—Prime cash, $10.35. Futures: February, $10.55; March, $10.65. TIMOTHY—Prime cash, $3.80. Futures: February, $3.85; March, $3.90.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 7.—CORN—1@2c higher; No. 4 white, 63½c; No. 3 white, 64c; No. 4 yellow, 65½@66c; No. 5 yellow, 65c; No. 3 mixed, 67½c; No. 5 mixed, 64c; sample, 57@59½c. OATS—½c higher; No. 3 white, 41@41½c nominal.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Cash: No. 2 hard, $1.07@1.10; No. 3 hard, $1.05½@1.09. CORN—New No. 4 white, 62½@64c; No. 5 white, 62@63½c; No. 4 yellow, 66@67c; No. 5 yellow, 65@66c; No. 4, 62½@64½c; No. 5, 61½@63c. OATS—No. 3 white, 40½@40⅝c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 7.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 1, Manitoba, 12s 5d; No. 2, 12s 2d; No. 3, 12s; No. 2 hard winter, new, 11s 11½d; No. 2 hard winter, old, no stock. CORN—Spot, American mixed, yellow Plate, 8s 9d.

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

RANGE OF ACTIVE FUTURES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Dec. 7.	Closing Dec. 6.
WHEAT.					
Dec.	1.19-18¾	1.21⅝	1.16⅛	1.16⅜	1.19¼
May	1.19½-18	1.21⅝	1.17¼	1.17⅜-⅛	1.19⅞
CORN.					
Dec.	.68-67⅞	69½	67⅝	68¼-⅜	68⅝
May	.71⅝-½	73⅜	71¼	72¼	71⅝-⅞
OATS.					
Dec.	43⅝	44⅜	43	43¼-⅜	43½
May	.46½-¼	46⅞-47	45⅝	45⅞	46⅛
PORK.					
Jan.	.18.05	18.90	18.05	18.57½	18.02½
May	.18.15	18.95	18.05	18.60	17.97½
LARD.					
Jan.	9.52½	9.92½	9.52½	9.85	9.50
May	9.87½	10.25	9.85	10.15	9.77½
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan.	9.95	10.10	9.92½	10.02½	9.72½
May	9.97½	10.22½	9.97½	10.25	9.92½

PRICES AT OUTSIDE MARKETS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
ST. LOUIS.					
Dec. wheat	1.12¼	1.12¼	1.11⅜	1.11⅜	1.13¼
May wheat	1.17½	1.19¼	1.15⅝	1.16	1.17¾
Dec. corn	66⅝	67⅛	66⅝	67	66⅞
May corn	69⅝	71⅛	69¼	70	69⅝
KANSAS CITY.					
Dec. wheat	1.08½	1.09½	1.07	1.07¼	1.08⅝
May wheat	1.12½	1.13⅞	1.10¼	1.10⅝	1.12⅝
July wheat	1.06½	1.07¼	1.04⅛	1.04⅜	1.06⅞
Dec. corn	64⅜	66⅝	64⅜	65⅜	64⅞
May corn	68½	69⅜-⅞	68	68⅝	68½
MINNEAPOLIS.					
Dec. wheat	1.12⅜	1.14½	1.10⅜	1.10⅝	1.12⅜
May wheat	1.16	1.17½	1.13	1.13⅝	1.16
DULUTH.					
Dec. wheat	1.13	1.14⅝	1.11¼	1.11⅝	1.13⅜
May wheat	1.15½	1.17½	1.13⅜	1.13¾	1.16⅜
WINNIPEG.					
Dec. wheat	1.13¼	1.13¼	1.09⅜	1.09½	1.12¼
May wheat	1.16	1.16	1.11½	1.11⅝	1.14⅝
Dec. oats	41⅝	41½	41	41⅛	41⅜
May oats	43⅜	43⅜	42⅝	42⅝	43¼
TOLEDO.					
Dec. wheat	1.25	1.26½	1.23	1.24	1.25¾
May wheat	1.28½	1.30½	1.27	1.27	1.29¾
Dec. corn	....	....	....	70⅛	70⅞
May corn	....	....	....	74⅛	73⅞
Dec. oats	....	....	....	45⅜	46
May oats	....	....	....	48⅞	49
BALTIMORE.					
Dec. wheat	1.23½	1.24½	1.23½	1.23½	1.24½
Year corn	73¼	74¼	73¼	74	74¼

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	Standard.	No. 2 or better.	No. 3.	Lower gdes.	Tot. cars.
Win. wheat	...	1	8	13	22
Spring wheat	..	51	19	9	79
West. wheat	..	6	6	2	14
Mixed wheat	..	2	1	...	3
Velvet chaff	..	9	5	...	14
Durum wheat	..	...	1	3	4
Corn	...	22	55	478	555
Oats	54	1	167	113	335
Rye	..	7	13	11	31
Barley	..	8	58	59	125
Totals	54	107	333	688	1,182

Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 3 red, 5 cars; No. 4 red, 2 cars; sample, 2 cars; No. 2 hard, 2 cars; No. 3 hard, 8 cars; No. 1 northern, 25 cars and 7,246 bu; No. 2 northern, 1 car; No. 2 velvet, 2 cars. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 23 cars; No. 3 yellow, 39 cars; No. 4 yellow, 18 cars; No. 2 white, 10 cars; No. 3 white, 12 cars; No. 4 white, 1 car; No. 3 mixed, 30 cars; No. 2 milo maize, 1 car. Oats—Standard, 15 cars; No. 3 white, 16 cars; No. 4 white, 1 car; sample grade, 3 cars; purified, 4 cars; clipped, 12 cars. Rye—No. 2, 22 cars. Barley—No. 1 feed, 2 cars. From store: Wheat—No. 1 northern, 85,450 bu; No. 1 velvet, 2,300 bu; screenings, 4,972 bu. Corn—No. 2 white, 1,000 bu. Oats—Standard, 4,000 bu; No. 3 white, 8,090 bu; No. 4 white, 1,812 bu.

DAILY BIDS AND OFFERS.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
WHEAT.						
Dec.	1.14	1.13¼	1.13¼	1.21½	1.20	1.21
May	1.15¼	1.14¼	1.15⅛	1.21½	1.20¼	1.21½
CORN.						
Dec.	67⅞	67¼	67½	69⅝	69¼	69⅝
May	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜	73⅝	73⅛	73½
OATS.						
May	45½	45⅝	45½	46½	46¼	46⅜

WEEKLY BIDS AND OFFERS.

	This week Bids.	This week Offers.	Next week Bids.	Next week Offers.
WHEAT.				
May	1.10½	1.29	1.07½	1.36
CORN.				
May	69½	75¼	67⅜	76½
OATS.				
May	44¼	47⅜	43¼	49

PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

WESTERN.

	Received Wheat.	Received Corn.	Shipped Wheat.	Shipped Corn.
Chicago	170,000	357,000	124,000	245,000
Mil'kee	63,000	9,000	16,000	3,000
Min'pls	630,000	11,000	347,000	4,000
Dulu.	1,095,000	....	1,138,000	....
St. L.	141,000	39,000	152,000	18,000
Toledo	26,000	32,000	45,000	6,000
Detroit	16,000	35,000	23,000	10,000
Kan. C.	412,000	111,000	201,000	26,000
Peoria	5,000	105,000	31,000	49,000
Omaha	60,000	65,000	71,000	33,000
Ind'pls.	1,000	167,000	4,000	82,000
Cin'nati	36,000	31,000	29,000	10,000
Tl., bu.	2,645,000	962,000	2,181,000	436,000
Lt. yr.	1,621,000	2,158,000	1,359,000	910,000

EASTERN.

	Received Wheat.	Received Corn.	Shipped Wheat.	Shipped Corn.
N. Y.	447,000	1,000	622,000	......
Boston	34,000	....	....	......
Phila.	292,000	11,000	24,000	......
Balt.	118,000	30,000	80,000	......
New Or.	8,000	10,000	....	......
Galv.	280,000	19,000	....	......
N. New	34,000	....	256,000	......
Tl., bu.	1,208,000	71,000	982,000	......
Lt. yr.	1,444,000	95,000	423,000	154,000

CASH TRANSACTIONS.

FLOUR—Market steady. Quotations:

SPRING WHEAT.

Special brands, wood	$6.30@6.50	Straight	$4.80@5.00
		First clr.	$4.35@4.50
Pat., jute	$5.10@5.40	Sec. clear	$3.00@3.40

WINTER WHEAT.

Soft winter—		Pat., jute	$5.25@5.50
Straights	$5.00@5.25	Straight	$5.25@5.35
Clear	$4.00@4.65	Clear	$5.45@5.65

RYE FLOUR

White, pt. $4.80@4.90 | Dark .....$4.24@5.25

WINTER WHEAT—Steady. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 10,000 bu. Track: No. 4 red, $1.18; No. 3 red, $1.21½; No. 4 hard, 94c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 4 red, $1.12.

SPRING WHEAT—Quiet. Sales: Track: No. 3 northern, $1.09@1.13; No. 1 northern, $1.17½@1.19½.

CORN—Steady to ½c higher. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 80,000 bu. Track: Sample grade, 45@59c; No. 5 mixed, 64@65c; No. 6 yellow, 62@62½c; No. 5 yellow, 63@65½c; No. 3 yellow, 69c; No. 6 white, 62½c; No. 5 white, 63@64½c; No. 4 white, 66@66¾c; No. 3 white, 67@67½c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 6 mixed, 63c; No. 4 mixed, 65½@67½c; No. 6 yellow, 65½@67½c; No. 3 mixed, 67½c; No. 6 yellow, 63¼@63½c; No. 5 yellow, 64@65½c; No. 4 yellow, 66½@67½c; No. 3 yellow, 68c; No. 2 yellow, 73c; No. 5 white, 63¾@65¾c; No. 4 white, 66@67c; No. 3 white, 67½@68c.

OATS—Steady to ½c higher. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 85,000 bu. Track: Sample grade, 37@41c; No. 4 white, 40¼@41c; No. 3 white, 41@44½c; standard, 44½@45c. Illinois proportional billing: Sample grade, 34@38c; No. 4 white, 39½@41½c; No. 3 white, 41⅝@42½c; standard, 44¾c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Firm. Cash lots: Mess pork, $17.12½@17.25; lard, $9..5; short ribs, $9.50@10.50.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet. Beef hams, $29.50@30.00; extra mess beef, $16.00@16.50; plate beef, $16.50@17.00; extra plate beef, $17.00@17.50. TALLOW—Choice edible, 9@9¼c; prime packers', 8¼@8½c; No. 1 packers', 7⅝@7¾c; No. 2 packers', 5¾@6¼c; No. 1 renderers', 7½@7⅝c; choice country, 8@8⅜c; No. 2 country, 6@6⅜c; oleo stearin, 10¼@10½c; lard stearin, 10⅜@11c; extra oleo, 12½@13c; oleo stock, 10@11c.

GREASE—Quiet. Brown, 6@6½c; yellow, 7⅛@7⅜c; B white, 7½@7¾c; A white, 7⅞@8⅛c; choice white, 8¼@8½c.

HAY.

HAY—Steady; receipts, 808 tons; shipments, 170 tons; choice timothy, $17.00@$18.00; No. 1, $15.50@16.50; No. 2, $14.00@14.50.

STRAW—Rye, $7.00@8.00; oat, $6.00@6.50; wheat, $5.50@6.00.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF BOARD OF TRADE.

The bull crowd in wheat received its first setback yesterday since a week ago Monday. For a time the bull market promised to outdo all its previous exhibitions, but on the advance there was free selling induced by a keen desire for profits which started prices down, after which the decline was accelerated by stop loss selling by eleventh hour bulls, who bought wheat over $1.20. Both December and May touched the same high point, $1.21⅝. From that figure the December declined more rapidly than the May, closing at $1.16⅜, or 1c under the May. There was some selling in the pit that was credited to Lichtstern. Armour also was a seller, and there was less confidence on the part of the bulls because of the fact Chicago had outstripped other markets and that the possible shipping of wheat to this market would affect prices.

It is understood that strong opposition exists among the large cash handlers and export men at the seaboard against the proposed amendment to section 23 of rule 4, which is to be voted on today by the members of the board of trade. A petition voicing this sentiment is understood to have been tendered to the directors signed by: Power, Son & Co., Sanday & Co., Louis Dreyfus & Co., H. P. and F. Harrison, Milmine, Bodman & Co., E. Pfarrius & Co., E. H. Dare & Co., E. S. Kuh & Valk company, C. W. Andrus, Standard Milling company, Muir & Co., Maguire & Jenkins, Keusch & Schwartz, Inc., Simpson, Hendee & Co., New York Northern Grain company, Melady & Co., Albert C. Field, Inc., Pritchard & Co., Robinson & Sweet, Parke & Graff, W. H. Story & Co.

Bradstreet's report of the available supply last week shows the following decreases:

	1915.	1914.
Wheat, east of Rockies	*2,775,000	955,000
Wheat, east of Rockies	404,000	*351,000
Canada	2,601,000	127,000
U. S. and Canada	230,000	731,000
Europe and afloat	1,100,000	100,000
World's stock	1,330,000	831,000
Corn	297,000	*3,094,000
Oats	*2,559,000	594,000

*Increase.

The price for hard wheat at the gulf was 2c under Chicago May free on board yesterday, the lowest price on the crop. The general export demand was reported quiet at the seaboard. Foreign houses were credited with both buying and selling wheat at the seaboard. Duluth reports were more bullish, some of the elevator concerns claiming they could not get wheat enough to fill the demand. Duluth shipments continue heavy and there was a small reduction in stocks.

Reports from Greece said import requirements would be heavy. Port stocks in Russia are said to be exhausted, with a light movement. The acreage of wheat in Italy will show a decrease of 10 to 20 per cent. Stocks in Italy are light and the demand for foreign wheat is good. Argentine conditions continue favorable, but a further upturn in freights was reported, the rate advancing 2 shillings 6 pence to 115 shillings per ton.

The Armour Grain company yesterday issued its final estimate of the winter wheat crop for the year. It makes the crop 948,000,000 bu, all millable wheat. Its figures on spring wheat were larger than the government figures and smaller on winter wheat. The report shows much more milling wheat than other reports have indicated. The figures compare with an estimate by John Inglis of 941,000,000 bu.

The Michigan December crop report as wired by King of Toledo makes the wheat condition 85, against 83 last month and 94 a year ago. Farmers marketed 307,000 bu in November, against 372,000 bu a year ago. The rye condition is 90, compared to 95 a year ago.

Cash corn prices were ½@1c higher and the demand was moderate. Country offerings, however, do not show much improvement. The oats market was firm, with a fair inquiry. Shipping sales were 80,000 bu corn and 85,000 bu oats.

So far this month cancellations of wheat in store for shipment have aggregated 922,000 bu. High prices so far have not increased the receipts much at Chicago, yesterday's inspection showing only 48 cars in.

Broomhall's cables reiterated reports of supplies of wheat being inadequate, with a continued good demand. The advance of 1@2½d at Liverpool was not so great an advance as that of the previous day in the Chicago market.

The directors yesterday elected the following new members: Walter T. Sullivan, Charles A. Rohde, Joseph P. Dunlop, and Osborn F. Smith.

Minneapolis shipments continue heavy for both wheat and flour, shipments of flour for the day being 102,000 brls.

On special brands of spring wheat flour prices have been advanced 20@40c. The prices are now $6.30@6.50.

Receipts inspected yesterday were: Wheat, 48 cars; corn, 149 cars; oats, 149 cars; rye, 13 cars; barley, 40 cars; hogs, 53,000 head.

Duluth wired that Barnes-Ames were buying the May wheat as it was offered.

Sales to go to store yesterday were 200,000 bu wheat.

PRICES BEATEN DOWN BY SALES

President's Message Causes Heavy Liquidation in New York Market.

Total sales of stocks, 705,000 shares.

Total sales of bonds (par value), $4,545,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—If the course of today's market may be accepted as a criterion, Wall street and the financial community as a whole regarded some of the main points of the president's message to congress with disfavor. Standard stocks, which were dull but steady in the forenoon and became more active and stronger on publication of the message, fell back later under the weight of heavy selling, in which bearish operations probably were no small factor.

United States Steel was the overshadowing feature of the midday advance, ascending almost steadily from its early minimum of 86⅝@88¼, a mere ⅛ under its best price of recent years, on transactions that ranged from 1,000 to 7,500 shares. Rails and other seasoned issues rose proportionately, but yielded with steel in the irregular and unsettled close, which registered numerous net losses.

Proposed Tax Causes Sales.

Much of the liquidation which followed the more careful reading of the president's recommendations was ascribed to those features dealing with a proposed tax on various crude and refined products.

Chief among the many advances of the early session, most of which were substantially effaced, were Studebaker, Baldwin Locomotive, New York Air Brake, Sloss-Sheffield Steel, Harvester, Industrial Alcohol, Distillers' Securities, International Nickel and Petroleums.

There were sporadic advances in some of the miscellaneous issues, but these, too, lost ground at the end.

London Selling Stocks.

London was again a seller here, confining its limited trading to Pacifics and some of the minor metals. November figures, compiled by the British board of trade, show an increase of $55,000,000 in exports over the same month of 1914, but imports increased to the extent of $80,000,000. Sterling exchange was strong, comparing with highest rates of the recent movement, but continental remittances were easier.

Bonds were irregular, with another decline in Anglo-French notes, which sold for "future" delivery at 96⅝. United States coupon 4s were ⅝ per cent lower on call.

Mercantile paper, 3@3¼. Sterling—Sixty day bills, 4.67; demand, 4.7125; cables, 4.7210. Francs—Demand, 5.86½; cables, 5.85½. Marks—Demand, 79⅛; cables, 79¼. Guilders—Demand, 41⅝; cables, 42. Lires—Demand, 6.56; cables, 6.55. Rubles—Demand, 31⅜; cables, 31⅝. Bar silver, 56¼c. Mexican dollars, 43c. Government bonds heavy. Railroad bonds irregular. Time loans firmer; sixty days, 2½; ninety days, 2¾; six months, 2¾@3. Call money steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 1¾; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Br. Mfg.	450	21	24	21	24
Do pfd	50	75	75	75	75
Alta Cons.	2,000	10c	10c	10c	10c
Am. Int. Corp.	540	111	111	110	110
Am. Marconi	300	3⅝	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
Am. Zinc	310	70	70⅝	69⅝	69⅞
At. G. & W. I.	510	32	32	30½	30½
Do pfd	150	46⅞	46⅞	46½	46½
Big Ledge	200	2⅜	2⅝	2⅜	2⅝
Braden Cop.	10,000	16¼	16¾	15⅞	16
Butte C. & Z.	2,000	7⅝	7⅝	7	7
Butte & N. Y.	1,100	3¼	3½	3¼	3⅜
Caled. Mng.	2,500	81c	81c	80c	81c
Chal. Motors	100	160	160	160	160
Can. N.G. Cor.	5,800	3½	3⅞	3⅜	3⅜
Canada Cop.	5,200	2¼	2⅜	2¼	2⅜
Can. Car & F.	10	95½	95½	95½	95½
Do pfd	5	112	112	112	112
Car L. & P.	700	7⅝	8	7½	7⅞
Cerro de Pasco	1,250	37½	38⅛	36¾	36¾
Chandler w. i.	4,200	85⅝	86⅜	85⅛	85⅜
Chev. Motors	1,980	142	145	142	143
Con. Ariz.	4,200	1½	1⅝	1½	1½
Cosden	8,400	9¼	9⅝	9¼	9½
Driggs Seab.	445	171	174	168	172
Emma Cop.	3,000	18c	20c	18c	20c
Emer. Phono.	200	10	10	10	10
First N. Cop.	350	5½	5⅝	5½	5⅝
G'field Kew.	3,000	25c	25c	25c	25c
Guant. Sugar	15	66	67	66	67
Hopkins Allen	75	58	58	57	58
Do pfd	50	94½	94½	94½	94½
Houston Oil	1,445	23	23¼	22	22
Howe Sound	3,200	3⅝	4½	3⅝	4⅜
Int. Pet.	2,700	13½	13⅝	13¼	13⅜
Int. Mines	1,000	19c	19c	19c	19c
Int. Motors	300	36	36	33	33
Int. Marine	3,700	17¼	17¼	16⅜	16⅝
Do pfd	2,700	66¼	66¼	64	64½
Int. Nick. new	350	50	51	50	50
Jewel Tea	280	63	64	63	64
Do pfd	650	99½	99⅝	99½	99⅝
Jumbo Ext.	200	1⅛	1¼	1⅛	1¼
Kelly S. T.	525	75	76	75	76
Kennecott	16,600	53½	53⅝	53	53⅛
Kelly Spgf. old	225	298	302	298	300
Do pfd	100	98	98	98	98
Kathodian pfd	1,550	19¼	19¼	18	18
Lake Torpedo	600	16½	16½	15½	16
Magma Cop.	400	15	15	14¾	14¾
Midvale	10,900	76½	76½	72⅝	73⅛
McKin. Darr.	25,900	60c	73c	60c	69c
Man. Trans.	2,800	1⅝	1¾	1⅝	1¾
Maxim Mun.	6,100	13⅞	14⅛	12¼	13⅞
Mines of Am.	1,800	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Nipissing	600	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
No. Butte Ex.	2,800	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
North Star	5,000	17c	17c	16c	16c
Peerless Mot.	2,325	35¼	36	35¼	36½
Penna. Mar.	200	62⅛	62⅛	62	62
R. & H. Corp.	1,600	5⅛	5¼	5⅛	5¼
Ray Hercules	900	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Rex Cons.	12,900	35c	38c	35c	38c
St. Joe Lead	600	14⅛	14⅛	14	14
Savoy Oil	400	12	12	11⅝	11⅝
Stand. Silver	3,900	2	2	2	2
Steel Radia.	550	68½	69	66	60
Sub. Corp.	7,700	46	46⅝	44⅞	44⅞
Success	5,500	63c	63c	60c	60c
Tob. Prod.	100	34½	34½	34½	34½
Tono. Belmont	220	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Tono. Cashboy	6,000	6½c	7c	6½c	7c
Tono. Ext.	50	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Ton. J. Butler	2,000	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Triangle Film	1,800	5⅝	6	5⅝	6
Un. Dr., w. i.	400	80	81	80	81
Do 2d pf w.i.	650	95	98	95	98
Un. Fr. Co. rts	5,900	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Un. Profit	1,000	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Un. Verdi	3,000	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Utah Secur.	100	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
U. S. Light	2,200	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Do pfd	1,150	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Ventura Oil	45	12½	12½	12½	12½
Vic. Oil Co.	2,800	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
W. End Con.	2,500	84c	85c	83c	85c
W. Knob pfd	200	2	2	2	2
World F. Cor.	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Yukon	500	3	3	3	3
BONDS.					
B.&O.5s w.i.	$210,000	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜
Cerro-de-Pasco 6s	10,000	119⅛	119⅛	119⅛	119⅛
Ken'cott 6s	29,000	210	210	210	210

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Br. A. Tob.	14⅜	15½	Kerr Lake	4⅛	4⅜
Do new	15	15⅜	La Rose	...	⅜
Cos. C. M.	1⅞	2	L. Val.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cramp	85	88	Midw. Ref.	80	82
El. Boat	452	455	N. Y. Trans.	15	17
Do pfd	452	455	Otis Elev.	69	71
G'field Con.	1¼	1⅜	Std. Moto.	9½	10
Hendee	30	32	Ster. G. w.i.	2⅛	2⅝
Hous. Oil pf	64	68	Ster. Mng.	9-16	⅝
Int. C. Rub.	12¼	13½	Tono. Mng.	6⅝	7
Int. Mot. pf	60	67	N. Cig. S.	90	105
Int. Salt	38	43			
BONDS.					
W. Pac. 5s	37	40			

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Anglo	3,000	18⅝	19⅛	18⅝	19
Atl. Refg.	5	665	670	665	670
Ill. Pipe	473	187	191	187	187
Ohio Oil	35	175	175	173	175
Pierce Oil	460	18	18	17⅝	17⅝
Pra. Oil	50	438	440	437	440
Pra. Pipe	95	227	231	227	227
S. O. Cal.	225	348	351	348	351
S. O. N. J.	36	505	508	505	507
S. O. N. Y.	20	216	220	216	219

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Borne Scry.	285	295	Solar Ref.	300	310
Buck. Pipe	116	119	Sou. Pipe	233	238
Chesb. Mfg.	735	750	S. Penn. Oil	370	375
Col. Oil	170	180	S. W. Pa. P.	138	142
Cont. Oil	270	275	S. O. Ind.	503	507
Cres. Pipe	48	50	S. O. Kan.	455	465
Cumb. Pipe	60	65	S. O. Ken.	350	360
Eureka Pipe	260	265	S. O. Neb.	350	360
Gal. S. Oil	165	169	S. O. Ohio	530	540
Do pfd	135	138	Sw. & Finch	130	140
Ind. Pipe	112	115	Un. T. Line	88	90
Nat. Trans.	36¼	37¼	Vac. Oil	228	231
N. Y. Trans.	232	238	Wash. Oil	46	50
No. Pipe	111	114			

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

No. thous.		High.	Low.	Close.
7	Anglo Fr 5s	97⅝	96⅞	97⅝
25	Argentine 5s	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
10	Jap 1st 4½s	82	82	82
6	do 2d 4½s Ger stpd	75¼	74¾	74¾
2	Cuban 5s	97½	97½	97½
7	N Y state 4½s	112⅝	112½	112½
4	N Y city 4½s 1963	106½	106½	106½
7	do 4½s 1965	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞
110	do 4½s 1960	102	102	102
25	do 1964	102	102	102
10	do 4s 1959	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
6	Am Ag Chem 1st 5s	102¼	101¾	102
3	do deb 5s	97	96⅞	97
63	Am Smelting 6s	114	113¾	114
29	Am T & T col 4s	91	90¾	91
11	do cv 4½s	107½	107⅜	107½
1	Am Tob 6s	119½	119½	119½
2	Armour 4½s	93	92¾	92¾
2	Atch cv 5s	101½	101½	101½
67	do gen 4s	94⅝	94¼	94¼
10	do adj 4s	87	87	87
3	do stamped	87	87	87
22	do cv 4s 1960	107½	107½	107½
1	do sl 5s 1960	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
6	Atl C L 1st con 4s	92⅞	92⅝	92⅝
18	do L & N 4s	88	87½	87½
16	B & O 3½s	93¼	93	93¼
29	do 4s	91⅝	91½	91⅝
358	do cv 4½s	97	96⅞	97
8	do S W 3½s	92	91⅞	91⅞
2	Beth Steel 1st 5s	102½	102½	102½
4	do ref 5s	101⅛	101	101
1	B R T 5s notes 1918	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
6	B U Elev 5s	100¼	100¼	100¼
14	Cal Gas 5s	96⅝	96½	96⅝
5	Cent Dist T 5s	102	102	102
5	Cent Ga con 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
48	Cent Lea 5s	100⅞	100⅝	100⅞
22	Cent Pac gtd 4s	91	90⅝	90⅝
2	do 3½s	89½	89½	89½
2	Cent R R N J 5s	117	117	117
1	C & O 5s	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
15	do gen 4½s	92	92	92
72	do cv 4½s	88	87½	87⅝
5	C & A 3s ls	60¼	60¼	60¼
10	C B & Q 4s	94¼	94⅛	94⅛
4	do Ill 4s	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
1	do 3½s	85½	85½	85½
154	do jt 4s	98¼	98	98⅛
2	do reg	98¼	98⅛	98⅛
25	C G W 4s	74¼	74	74¼
50	C M & St P gen ref 5s	107⅝	107¼	107⅝
18	do cv 4½s	102	101¼	102
8	do gen 4s A	92¾	92¼	92¾
11	do deb 4s 1934	92½	92	92½
10	do 5s C & P W	101¼	101¼	101¼
2	C & N W 3½s	83	82⅞	83
10	do Mil Sparta 4s	93	93	93
14	C R I & P gen 4s	85½	85⅛	85½
29	do ref 4s	67¼	67	67
1	do deb 5s	47⅜	47⅜	47⅜
4	C & W I 6s	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
5	do 4s	82¼	82¼	82¼
38	Chile Cop 7s	136¼	135	135⅝
7	C C C & St L 4½s	81	81	81
1	do St L 4s	82	82	82
15	Cleve St L 4½s	100½	100⅝	100½
5	Col Ind 5s	76½	76½	76½
18	Comp Tab 6s	81	80½	81
1	Con Gas cv 6s	120¼	120¼	120¼
2	Corn Prod 5s	96¼	96¼	96¼
54	Cuban Am Sugar 6s	101⅝	101⅜	101⅝
2	D & H cv 5s	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞
1	do 4s	100½	100½	100½
2	D & R G 4½s	84⅜	84⅜	84⅜
1	Det Edison 5s	103¼	103¼	103¼
14	Det Uni 4½s	78½	78½	78½
22	Dis Sec 5s	72	71½	71⅝
1	D S S & A 5s	94	94	94
2	Dupont 4½s	101¼	101¼	101¼
2	E T V & Ga con 5s	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
5	Erie p l 4s	86	86	86
22	do gen 4s	76⅜	76	76⅜
7	do cv 4s A	73¼	73	73¼
205	do cv 4s B	85¼	84⅝	84⅝
1	do D & I 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
3	Erie Pa 4s	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
2	Ga Mid 3s	60	60	60
11	Green Bay B	13	12	12⅞
5	Hock Valley 4½s	93¼	93¼	93¼
11	Hud & Man 5s	76	76	76
66	do adj inc 5s	31	31	31
1	Ill Cent fdg 4s	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞
2	do 4s 1952	89⅞	89½	89½
2	do 4s 1953	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
2	Ill Steel deb 4½s	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
8	Ind Steel 5s	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
10	Inspn 6s	183	183	183
9	Int Met 4½s	77½	77⅜	77⅜
297	do 5s	99½	98⅞	99¼
5	Int & G N 1st 6s	98	97⅞	97⅞
25	Int Mer Mar 4½s	94½	94¼	94½
249	do ctfs	94	93¾	93⅝
2	Int Paper 1st 6s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
2	Ia Cent 5s	90	90	90
1	do 4s	51½	51½	51½
12	K C F S & M 4s	78	78	78
15	K C So 5s	94½	94¼	94¼
11	K C Term 4s	89½	89½	89½
4	Kings Co Elec 6s	125⅜	125⅜	125⅜
45	Lack Steel 5s 1923	98¾	98⅝	98¼
23	do 5s 1950	93½	93	93
1	L E & W 2d 5s	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛
7	Lake Shore 4s 1928	94⅝	94½	94½
10	do 4s 1931	94¼	94	94¼
1	do 3½s	84⅜	84⅜	84⅜
1	L V of N Y 4½s	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
1	Lig & M 7s	124⅜	124⅜	124⅜
3	do 5s	101½	101½	101½
1	Long Island gen 4s	87¼	87¼	87¼
1	Lorillard 7s	124½	124½	124½
5	do 5s	101½	101⅜	101½
14	L & N uni 4s	94⅝	94¼	94½
12	Mex Pet 6s A	110	109	110
2	do C	110½	110	110½
5	Milw Gas 4s	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞
1	M & St L 5s	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛
1	M St P & S S M 4s	93¼	93¼	93¼
24	M K & T 1st 4s	80	79⅞	80
1	do 2d 4s	58	58	58
5	do 5s	66⅛	66	66
2	do 4½s	46	46	46
27	Mo Pac 6s	100¼	100¼	100¼
1	do 5s	88	88	88
1	do cv 5s ctfs	45½	45½	45½
2	do cent branch 4s	61	61	61
16	Mont Power 5s	95	94⅞	95
1	Nassau Elec 4s	75½	75½	75½
1	Nat Tube 5s	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜
300	N Y Cent deb 6s	111⅝	111¼	111¼
3	do rfg 4½s	93½	93½	93½
32	do 4s 1934	92½	92	92½
33	do rfg 4½s	83¼	82⅞	82⅞
8	do L S 3½s	78¼	78¼	78¼
2	N Y Dock 4s	74	74	74
1	N Y Gas 5s	104	104	104
12	N Y N H & H cv 6s	115¼	115	115¼
2	N Y Rys ref 4s	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
113	do adj 5s	53⅝	53¼	53⅝
2	N Y Tel 4½s	98⅞	98⅞	98⅞
9	N Y W & B 4½s	83½	83	83
2	N & W 6s	118	118	118
12	do 4s	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝
25	do cv 4½s	121⅝	120½	120½
41	Nor Pac 4s	93½	93¼	93½
42	do 3s	66⅝	66¼	66⅝
1	do reg	64½	64½	64½
5	Ore Ry & Nav 4s	92	92	92
2	O S L 5s	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
11	do rfg 4s	93	92¾	93
38	Pac Tel 5s	100	99½	99⅝
2	Pa con 4½s	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
9	do 4½s	101⅜	101¼	101¼
25	do gen 4½s rcts	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
1	do 4s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
1	Pub Svc N J 5s	90¼	90¼	90¼
20	Ray Cons 6s	129	128¼	129
5	Ry Steel Spgs 5s	95	95	95
7	Reading gen 4s	95¼	94⅞	95¼
9	Rep I & S 5s	97½	96⅞	97½
1	R G & W 1st 4s	75	75	75
2	R W & O 5s	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
10	St L I M & S 5s	100¼	100¼	100¼
1	do 4s	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
16	do R & G 4s	71	71	71
1	St J & G I 4s	61	61	61
2	St L & S F fdg 4s	73	73	73
3	do 5s 1927 ctfs	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝
4	do stamped	54⅜	54	54⅜
10	St L S W 1st 4s	79⅝	79½	79½
1	St P M & M Mont 4s	96	96	96
13	S A & A P 4s	72	72	72
1	S V & N E 4s	92	92	92
10	S A L rfg 4s	73½	73¼	73½
11	do adj 5s	70	69⅞	70
3	So Bell Tel 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
111	So Pac cv 5s	106⅝	106⅝	106½
10	do col 4s	87	87	87
119	do cv 4s	89¾	89¼	89½
87	do rfg 4s	90¼	90	90¼
5	do S F Term 4s	85⅝	85¼	85⅝
37	So Ry 5s	103½	102⅞	103⅛
29	do 4s	70⅝	70½	70⅛
15	T C I & R R Birm 6s	102	102	102
5	do Tenn 6s	102	102	102
3	Tenn Copper 6s	120¼	120¼	120¼
1	Term R R Assn of St L 5s	104	104	104
40	Tex Co cv 6s	105	104⅝	104⅝
1	Tex Pac 1st 5s	97¼	97¼	97¼
10	Third Ave adj 5s	79¼	79	79¼
30	U P 1st 4s	97½	97⅛	97½
31	do cv 4s	93½	93¼	93½
3	do rfg 4s	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
10	Uni N J R R 7s canal 4s	99½	99¼	99½
2	Uni R R S F 4s	46	45½	46
5	U S Realty 5s	75½	75½	75½
2	U S Rub 6s	103⅝	103¼	103⅝
113	U S S 5s	104¼	103⅞	104
5	Va Chem 6s	103	103	103
3	do 5s	98⅞	98	98⅞
1	Va I C & C 5s	88¼	88¼	88¼
14	Va Ry 5s	98¼	98¼	98¼
3	Va Ry & Pwr 5s	90½	90½	90½
10	Wabash 1st 5s	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
7	do 2d 5s	99¼	99¼	99¼
131	do rfg 4s ctfs	105⅜	104⅝	105
4	do Pgh 1st 4s ctfs	1½	1½	1½
54	do 2d 4s ctfs	¼	¼	¼
5	West Elec 5s	102½	102⅜	102½
2	West Md 4s	75½	75½	75½
5	West N Y & Pa gen 4s	82½	82½	82½
2	West Union 5s	101½	101½	101½
2	do 4½s	94	94	94
5	Westinghouse S F 5s	105	105	105
4	do cv 5s	139	138¼	139
1	West Shore 4s	90⅞	90⅞	90⅞
3	do reg 4s	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
4	W & L E con 4s	72½	72½	72½
1	Wis Cent 4s	87⅞	87⅞	87⅞
4	do S & D 4s	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝

BAROMETER OF WHEAT PRICES FOR CHICAGO.

December closed:	
Tuesday, Dec. 7	$1.16⅜
Monday, Dec. 6	1.19¼
Net loss for the day	.02½
Tuesday, Dec. 8, 1914	1.16⅝
May closed:	
Tuesday, Dec. 7	1.17⅜-⅞
Monday, Dec. 6	1.19⅞
Net loss for the day	.02-⅛
Tuesday, Dec. 8, 1914	1.21⅝
Clearances—	Bushels.
Tuesday, Dec. 7	1,104,000
Tuesday, Dec. 8, 1914	599,000
Visible supply:	
Monday, Dec. 6	48,797,000
Monday, Dec. 7, 1914	72,374,000

Yearly range:

	Dec. High.	Dec. Low.		May High.	May Low.
1914	$1.27⅞	$ .79¼	1914	$1.67	$ .84⅞
1913	.90⅝	.81⅝	1913	1.00	.86⅝
1912	1.11	.83¼	1912	1.02⅝	.88⅛
1911	1.02½	.86⅝	1911	1.19	.94¼
1910	1.01⅞	.88⅜	1910	1.15	.84⅝

Sues to Stop Tax Collection.

Suit seeking to restrain County Treasurer Henry Stuckart from collecting $266 general taxes on the personal property of the Neal institute company for 1913 or attempting to procure a judgment against the company for the payment of the taxes was filed yesterday. According to the petition the taxes are illegal because of an error made by the state board of equalization.

NEWS OF THE COURTS

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—In the Supreme court of the United States today Clyde H. Walker of Champaign, Ill., and Eskil C. Karlson of Des Moines, Ia., were admitted to practice.

The record was:

118—John F. Cubbins, appellant, vs. Cotton Belt Levee District No. 1 et al.

39—John C. Cubbins, appellant, vs. the Mississippi river commission et al., and,

109—John F. Cubbins, appellant, vs. the Mississippi river commission et al.; passed to be heard with No. 299 on motion of B. E. Moses for the appellant.

120—Henry C. Hapai et al., plaintiff in error, vs. May K. Brown et al.; passed temporarily.

525—The United States, plaintiff in error, vs. Jin Fuey Moy; argued by Assistant Attorney General Wallace for the plaintiff in error and by H. Ralph Burton and Levi Cooke for the defendant in error.

112—The United States, appellant, vs. George F. Archer et al.; argued by Solicitor General Davis for the appellant, and by Percy Bell for the appellees.

113—Halifax Tonopah Mining company, plaintiff in error, vs. John W. Lawson; argued by Henry M. Hoyt II. for the plaintiff in error and by E. G. Brandenburg for the defendant in error.

116—Bimetallic Investment company, plaintiff in error, vs. the state board of equalization, etc., et al.; argument commenced by Horace Phelps for the plaintiff in error.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The day call for Wednesday, Dec. 8, will be as follows: Nos. 116, 117, 119, 121, 124, 61, 125, 126, 127, and 128.

Illinois Supreme Court.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 7.—[Special.]—Supreme court proceedings today were as follows:

People vs. Gordon; motion by plaintiff in error to cite additional authorities; allowed.

Sutton vs. Findlay Cemetery association; A. L. Yantis suggests death of John B. Sutton, defendant in error, and moves to substitute legal heirs or administrators, allowed.

Schaffner, admr., vs. C. F. Massey Co.; motion by plaintiff in error to cite additional authority; allowed.

People ex rel. Chicago Bar association vs. William G. Anderson; motion by respondent for time to Jan. 10, 1916, to file record, abstracts, and briefs.

People ex rel. Lucey vs. Barnett; motion by attorney general to make rule absolute on report of commissioner.

People ex rel. Chicago Bar association vs. Miles S. Macon; motion by relator to make the rule absolute.

People vs. Seymour; motion by plaintiff in error to file abstracts and briefs instanter and to file certified copy of Appellate court briefs and petition for rehearing.

People vs. O'Brien; motion by plaintiff in error and stipulation to continue; allowed.

Barto et al. vs. Conrad et al.; motion by defendants in error to strike brief of plaintiff in error.

McClintock et al. vs. Meehan et al.; motion by defendant in error for time to Dec. 9 to file briefs.

People ex rel. Holmes vs. Grant; appellee suggests diminution of record and moves to supply.

People ex rel. Connery vs. Burdette et al.; motion by appellee to strike bill of exceptions.

People ex rel. Stuckart vs. Hicks; motion by appellee to dismiss.

Buck, administrator, vs. Rosenthal; motion by defendant in error to file certified copy of plaintiff in error's Appellate court brief; cross motion by plaintiff in error to file certified copy of petition for rehearing filed in Appellate court; motion by plaintiff in error to file appendix to brief.

Calumet and Chicago Canal and Dock company et al. vs. Davis; motion by plaintiff in error for severance of co-plaintiffs in error.

Modern Woodmen of America vs. Nyquist; motion by defendant in error to file certified copies of Appellate court abstracts and briefs on both sides.

Smith vs. Chester et al.; motion by Frank B. Chester, defendant in error, to assign errors.

Barnes vs. Barnes, administratrix; motion by appellee to dismiss on short record with damages.

Barrett vs. Chicago Terminal Transfer Rail- [illegible]

Looney vs. Oregon Short Line Railroad company; motion by appellant to cite additional authority; allowed.

People ex rel. Swearingen et al.; motion by appellee to cite additional authority; allowed.

Court adjourned until 9 a. m. tomorrow.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Jacob J. Schmitt, salesman, 1607 Leland avenue; liabilities, $1,835; assets, none.

Alfred W. Gutzell, butcher, residence 1631 North Springfield avenue; liabilities, $1,338; assets, $287.

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SITUATION WTD—1ST CLASS SWEDISH laundress, by day; refs. Humboldt 9302.

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Waiters	$10-$12	Learn trades	$6-$7
Busboys	$6-$7	Drill press	20c-25c
Housemen	$25-$30	Punch press	$12-$15
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Barnmen	$12-$15	Carpenters	30c-40c
Saloon porters	$10-$12	Electricians	35c-40c
Lunchroom	$12-$14	Cabinetmakers	$14-$15
Hardware	$12-$14	Tinners	30c-33c
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Waiters	$10-$12	Learn trades	$6-$8
Housemen	$20-$25	Tinners	35c
Kitchenmen	$6-$10	Carpenters	$17-$18
Bus boys	$6-$8	Punch press	20c-25c
Yardmen	$20-$30	Drill press	18c-20c
Bellboys	$15-$30	Millwright	35c
Hosp. janitors	$25-$30	Engineers	$18-$20
Saloon porters	$12-$14	Planer hand	30c-40c
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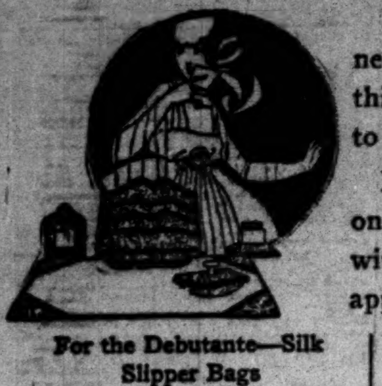

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For Women—

The New Short Handle Umbrellas at $5

These may be had in black and in the dark colors of union taffeta silk. The handles are of bakalite and natural woods trimmed with silver. The silk wrist straps are held by little friendship clasps of silver, big enough for one letter.

Canes Are Always Attractive Gifts

Here are extensive and varied assortments of Malacca, rosewood, Pimento, and green ebony canes with Prince of Wales handles trimmed with sterling caps and bands,

—For Your Selection at $5

First Floor, North Room

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An Advance Showing of Women's New Tan Calf Lace Boots

at $6.75 the Pair

The bootmaker of Fashion seems to have specialized with unusual success this season on the street boot.

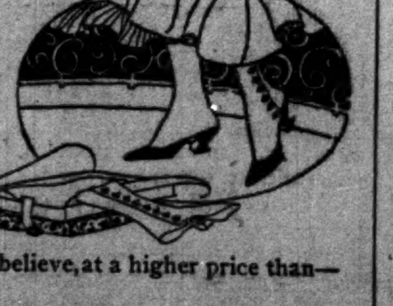
And here is one of his newest productions, giving an uncommon smartness and individuality to

These boots decreed "all proper" for street wear, with the necessary extra height.

Note in the sketch the modest last, and the smart tips and neat perforations.

—Very Interestingly Priced at $6.75 the Pair.

White Spats at $2 and $2.50 Pair



These white spats are of Melton cloth, unlined, cut in the extra height and simple and shapely in line, giving a trim, smart contour to the foot.

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For spats such as these are difficult to obtain even, we believe, at a higher price than—

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Third Floor, South Room.

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These collections are rich in the different and unusual—and you have a feeling of permanency when you select fur gifts here.

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White Iceland Fox Sets at $7.50
Are in the Style Pictured at the Right.

At $6 is a splendid set of Thibet—at $9.75 a set of natural opossum—and at $10 a set of natural muskrat with round little muff and pretty fitted scarf.

Fourth Floor, North Room

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Christmas Gift Blouses

Two Charming and New Are Priced $5.75 and $6.50

One in a delightful mode that heralds the return of the fascinating frill to fashion's favor. These are

The Blouses of Crepe de Chine at $6.50

Sketched at the right—and they bring the news also that the "high" colors are once more in vogue. For, besides flesh and white, you may choose this blouse in rose, green and purple.

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Fourth Floor, North Room.

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Thousands of New Dolls of Foreign and American Manufacture

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Second Floor, North Room

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